

THE MEDICAL CASE

For Alleged Larceny of Medicine
Before Police Court

The case of Paul R. Fiedler, of Methuen, charged with the larceny of 422 bottles of Mathews' Syrup of Tar and Cod Liver Oil from Joseph Routhier and Adolphe Delisle, of the Lowell pharmacy, which was opened on Wednesday of last week, came up on continuance this morning in the police court.

According to the complaint it is alleged that the defendant entered into a transaction whereby he was to give them Gauvin's syrup in exchange for Mathew's syrup. The druggists claim that they carried out their part of the bargain, but that the defendant instead of giving them Gauvin's gave them a substitute. The alleged substitution was not known to Messrs. Routhier and Delisle until Mr. J. A. E. Gauvin, the manufacturer of the original syrup, called their attention to the fact. Mr. Gauvin is the complainant in the case.

Messrs. A. O. Hanel and William H. Bent appeared for the government and the defendant was represented by Lawyer W. J. Bradley of Lawrence. Witness also testified that he sold syrup to a Mr. Desrosiers in Lakeview avenue and Toupin, the druggist, who has a place in Alton street.

Chrysologue Plead, who conducts a grocery store in Moody street, testified that he purchased syrup from Mr. Jackson and further testified relative to Mr. Gauvin calling at his store subsequent to the fact he purchased the syrup from Mr. Jackson. Witness also purchased some syrup purporting to be Gauvin's syrup from Routhier & Delisle.

Contention of Counsel
Before any witnesses had been called Lawyer Bradley stated to the court that he had tried to have the counsel for the commonwealth state the specific act that the commonwealth intended to rely upon, but that the request had not been granted. Mr. Bradley then filed a motion with the court, asking that the complaint be amended to state the specific act that he made known to him.

Lawyer Bent argued that it would be impossible to specify the date and amount of syrup taken. He said that he felt that all he was required to show was the time when the general agreement was made.

According to the complaint it is alleged that Fiedler and Routhier & Delisle entered into an agreement where-

by the former was to supply the firm with Gauvin's Syrup and Routhier & Delisle were to give him Mathew's Syrup. It is further alleged that while the agreement was made at one time goods were exchanged from time to time in varying quantities. Referring to the complaint Lawyer Bradley said that he felt that he was entitled to know the date of the alleged "from time to time" transactions.

Lawyer Bent insisted that it would be almost impossible to give the different dates on which the transactions were made, and all that was necessary was to stipulate the date of the first transaction.

Mr. Bradley said that there was no criminal act committed until the goods were delivered on agreement. Judge Hadley stated that he would rule that each delivery constituted a separate and distinct offense but as the complaint included but one count that the government should indicate the particular occasion when the offense was committed.

Mr. Bent said that all he claimed was one offense under the entire transaction.

Judge Hadley ruled that the government should stipulate the specific date that they relied upon.

Mr. Bent said that the government relied on the first delivery.

Mr. Routhier, of the firm of Routhier & Delisle, who testified Wednesday was recalled and in answer to the question testified that he was unable to give the dates of the transactions that he had with Fiedler.

He also admitted that despite the fact that he had been notified to bring his books into court he had not done so. Witness said that he had looked through the books and found that they did not show any entries of transactions with Fiedler.

William W. Fuller, of the Eastern Drug Co., of Boston, said that his firm had purchased Gauvin's syrup from time to time and from different people. Witness said that he did not know Fiedler and when Fiedler was pointed out to him he said that he did not remember ever seeing the defendant before last Wednesday.

John J. Jackson, formerly superintendent of cemeteries of this city, but now a salesman for Fiedler Bros. of Lawrence, testified that he had sold Gauvin's syrup to a Mr. Plead, a grocer in Moody street, this city. He sold two dozen bottles of the syrup to Mr. Plead for \$2. Witness said that the syrup came from Fiedler Bros.

HIS CHILD WIFE

Had Young Man in
Court for NeglectJUDGE HADLEY CALLED THEM
CHILDRENAnd Appealed to Officer Slattery to See
If He Could Do Something to Har-
monize Matters

"Here's a couple of children who went away and got married; see what you can do for them," said Judge Hadley to Probation Officer Slattery in police court this morning when he turned Arthur Desrosiers and the latter's wife, Gertrude, over to the man who is generally called upon to settle the majority of marital troubles that come before the local court.

The young couple are just out of their teens and have been married less than seven months, but the wife complained that the husband did nothing towards supporting her and as a last resort she had to apply to the court for a warrant for his arrest.

Mrs. Desrosiers said that her husband never gave her any money, but a little later said, "He did give me ten cents on one occasion." Continuing, she said: "He has been getting \$2 a day and after we got married he had a store book, but after having it for about a month and refusing to pay the man, even though he had the money in his pocket, the book was taken away from him and he was refused credit."

"On Saturdays and Sundays I have had something to eat, but it was a case of starve during the remainder of the week. When I complained to him of being cold, there being no wood or coal in the house, he has told me that if I wished to keep warm that I could stay in bed."

Probation Officer Slattery, after giving the boyish husband a little sound advice, gave him a chance to do better, but in the event of not doing so Desrosiers was given to understand that he would find himself in jail.

A Wayward Man
Cornelius J. Donovan admitted that he was drunk when arrested yesterday.

Patrolman Alexander McClellan, who formed the court that he had seen the young man drunk two and three times a week for some time past, and furthermore that when he was under the influence of liquor he went home and abused the members of the household and that his folks were anxious that he be sent away until he will be able to do better. He was given a sentence to the Massachusetts reformatory.

Other Offenders
Edward Morris, charged with drunkenness, was sent to jail until Saturday morning in order that he might get time to think it over.

John E. Bulmer said he wasn't drunk. Special Officer Briggs said that John was. Supt. Welch said John was on parole, and Judge Hadley said continue the case until tomorrow, which means that this afternoon Bulmer will be on his way back to Bridgewater.

Michael Sullivan and Alexander Savignac, drunks, were each fined \$5.

ONE MORE COUPLE
The following marriage intention was registered at the city clerk's office today:

James L. Fox, 23, newsdealer, Lawrence, Mass., and Ethel G. Hacker, 22, at home, 112 Chelmsford street.

EVELONS, O. U. A. M., TONIGHT.

TO EXTEND RAILROAD
AMOIY, China, Nov. 30.—The imperial board of communications has advanced \$500,000 for the extension of the Amoy & Chang Chow railroad.

MADE PRIVATE SECRETARY
MANILA, Nov. 30.—Edward Rowatch, a former football player of Harvard, was today appointed private secretary to Governor General Forbes. He had been acting in a similar capacity for the governor's predecessor for several months.

EVELONS, O. U. A. M., TONIGHT.

Candidate Meehan at Headquarters
Mr. John F. Meehan, democratic candidate for mayor, was one of the attendants at the lunch at the Y. M. C. A. headquarters this noon and received an unexpected reception. Mr. Meehan had not the enthusiasm and went up as an individual to partake of the noonday lunch. He had hardly entered the hall when he was recognized by those who were personally acquainted and was at once introduced all around. The cordial greeting given him was entirely unexpected and hence all the more pleasing to the recipient.

Y. M. C. A. Subscription Card
\$1 Lowell, Mass. 1309
For the purpose of erecting a building for the Lowell Young Men's Christian association and in consideration of the subscription of others, I promise to pay to the treasurer of the Lowell Young Men's Christian association building fund.

Payable as follows: One-fourth Jan. 1st, 1910; one-fourth July 1st, 1910; one-fourth Jan. 1st, 1911; one-fourth July 1st, 1911.

Shaded Dollars.
Or will pay in full on
Contributors to the Y. M. C. A. fund may have practically two years in

and was originated by J. C. Pentland, physical director of the Omaha association. The idea proved to be so successful that the clock has seen service on four continents, North America, Asia, Africa and Australasia. It was used in a canvass at Shanghai, China, and at Manila. In Africa it was used in British territories. It is estimated that at least 10,000,000 people have watched the minute hand of the Y. M. C. A. clock go round in different cities of this country. The clock has been seen in the majority of cities east of the Mississippi and throughout the United States and Canada.

Charles S. Ward
Charles S. Ward, international secretary of the Y. M. C. A., has raised \$100,000 and built 40 new buildings, inspiring thousands of workers with enthusiasm while he was doing it. It was he who put through the Boston campaign for \$500,000 with such success a few weeks ago.

ARM FRACTURED
Fred Lueck Met With
Serious Accident
Fred Lueck, of Westery, R. I., met with a painful accident at the P. R. Warren plant in Warrenville about 11 o'clock this morning. He is now at St. John's hospital suffering from a fracture of the right arm.

Lueck came to this city for the purpose of setting up machinery at the Warren plant and it was while he was engaged in that work this morning that he fell through the floor and sustained a fracture of the arm.

The ambulance was summoned and the injured man was taken to St. John's hospital, where he received treatment.

SAVINGS DEPT.
Traders Nat. Bank
INTEREST
BEGINS
December 3rd.

Hours: 8:30 a. m. to 3 p. m.
Saturdays: 8:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.
7 to 9 p. m.

Mechanics
Savings Bank
Quarter Day
Saturday, Dec. 4

The Lowell
Electric Light
Corp.
50 Central St.

Help Keep the
Clock Hands
Moving

Make Us Prove It
Eyes examined. Glasses furnished.
Rest in Lowell.
Castell Optical Co., 11 Bridge st.

Winter Wall Papers. Read!
FROM THANKSGIVING TO NEW YEAR'S DAY
MAMMOTH REDUCTIONS taken on HUNDREDS of our CHOICE NEW PAPERS in order to make our WINTER BUSINESS a HUMMER and to reward the public as fast as possible with the BIGGEST and CHEAPEST WALL PAPER STOCK ever opened to the public in this city. Our association with one of the largest wall paper syndicates in this country enables us to absolutely underbid any and all dealers at all times. "Ask your neighbor."

Nelson's Colonial Dept. Store, Fourth Floor

Y.M.C.A. CAMPAIGN

Fund for the New Building is
Growing RapidlyThere is no let-up to the enthusiasm
that marks the work of the committees
that are engaged in collecting \$150,000
for the new Y. M. C. A. building in
Lowell, and contributions continue to
be made with a generosity that speaks
well for Lowell. The children in the
street are interested in the movement,
and you can hear them talking about
the "big clock." The clock is really a
great big feature of the campaign. It
is a constant reminder of the good
work that is going on, and everybody
is anxious to see the long hand move.
Yesterday when it moved cheers went
up not only from the hall but from the
street, and, by the way, the origin of
the clock is interesting. It is a cam-
paign clock in every sense of the word.

Archbishop Ireland's Letter

The presiding chairman, Mr. Flather, read the following letter at the luncheon today. It was from Archbishop Ireland of St. Paul, and addressed to Mr. Arthur B. Driscoll, president of the St. Paul's Young Men's Christian association.

"I beg leave to offer a subscription of \$250.00 in favor of the Young Men's Christian association of St. Paul.

The Young Men's Christian association in its labors in St. Paul, so far as my observation permit me to judge, has divested itself of sectarian purposes and color; and I am assured by some of the leading members of the association that it is its firm intention to continue on these lines.

On the other hand, its social and moral work among the young men is of great and undoubted value, and it is deserving of universal sympathy and encouragement.

With these views I am pleased to be able to give proof of the earnestness of my wishes for its increased growth and prosperity."

DEATHS

KEEFE—Mrs. Ellen M. (Tomlinson) Keefe, wife of Denis Keefe, died last night at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ellen Tomlinson, 5 Madison place. She leaves besides her husband eight children, six boys and two girls, one brother and four sisters.

HENNESSEY—Mrs. Mary E. Hennessey, wife of James Hennessey, died this morning at her home, No. 40 By street, aged 55 years. Besides her husband she leaves four sisters, Mrs. John Mylott of North Andover, Mrs. Richard DeCourcy of Gloucester, Mrs. Amedee Chateaufort of St. Basil, P. Q., and Sister Mary Basil, O. S. D., of Charlestown; three daughters, Alice, Annie and Gertrude Hennessey, and five sons, James, John, Thomas, Daniel and Charles Hennessey.

SMITH—Mrs. Sarah (Livingston) Smith died yesterday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Willard L. Bailey, in Reading, aged 55 years, six months and 28 days. She was the widow of the late Luther Smith, and was a resident of this city until the time of her death. She was a member of the First Baptist church many years ago, later transferring her membership to the Branch Street tabernacle, of which she was a worthy and consistent member. She is survived by three sons and one daughter, Caleb L., Alfred L., Fred A. and Mrs. Caroline A. Bailey.

RYAN—Mrs. Sarah Ryan, wife of Jeremiah Ryan, died yesterday at St. John's hospital, aged 64 years. Deceased was a well known resident and for the past 50 years had been a member of St. Patrick's church. Besides her husband she leaves three nieces, Mrs. Michael Doyle, Miss Elizabeth Ryan and Miss Loretta Gookin, and two nephews, Patrick H. Ryan and Mr. John J. Gookin.

The body was taken to her home, 779 Westford street, by Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons, funeral notice later.

FUNERALS

WILSON—The funeral of Mrs. Laura J. Wilson, a former resident of North Chelmsford, widow of the late George C. Wilson, took place last week Tuesday from the residence of her son, S. Elliott Wilson, 26 Webster street, Haverhill, Mass. Burial was in Riverside cemetery, North Chelmsford.

In order to "assume" to be a "common victualler" a person, it would appear, must hold himself out to the public as ready at all times to furnish food to strangers and travelers to transient guests. One who does this cannot carry on his business without a license from the board of police or without actually being prepared to entertain such guests. All boarding house keepers are not "common victuallars," though some may be. It all depends upon the attitude they assume toward the public. Many of them do not pretend to hold themselves out as ready at all times to furnish food to strangers and travelers, but reserve the right to serve only a limited number of persons or such persons as are agreeable to them and to

refuse board to all others. Neither do they furnish nor pretend to furnish meals at all hours but only at stated times. They make it plain to applicants that they have no desire to entertain people generally but only such persons as they themselves may select.

An innkeeper or common victualler is bound to receive everybody who applies, if in a fit condition to be received, while a boarding-house keeper is not bound to receive an applicant except upon special contract and of course need not enter into such contract with any person who is in the slightest degree objectionable to him.

He, therefore, in my opinion, does not come within the scope of or under the provisions of section 1 of chapter 102 of the Revised Laws.

The words "stranger" and "traveller" as used in this connection, may include a townsman and neighbor as well as a person who comes from a distance or from a foreign country. (Walling v. Fetter, 35 Conn. 530-5.)

Anyone who does not conduct regularly at a hotel or restaurant at a fixed price, but rather occupies the relation of guest, is a "stranger or traveller" within the meaning of the statute.

Respectfully submitted,
William W. Duncan,
City Solicitor.

CITY SOLICITOR

Says All Boarding Housekeepers
Are Not Common Victuallars

That all boarding house keepers are not common victuallars is the import of an opinion handed down by City Solicitor Duncan to the police board today. The opinion is as follows:

Office of City Solicitor,
Lowell, Mass., Nov. 29, 1909.

Gentlemen:—Having your letter of the 15th inst., containing several questions with regard to the construction of Section 1 of Chapter 102 of the Revised Laws, so far as it pertains to "common victuallars,"

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MATRIMONIAL

A very pretty home wedding took place last night at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Mills, of 538 Beacon street, when their daughter, Miss Zaidie Elizabeth, and Mr. James Ernest Greenough of Boston were married. The ceremony, which was attended by relatives and immediate friends, was performed by Rev. A. F. Wedge, pastor of the Northern Street Baptist church. The bride was accompanied by her father and carried white bride roses. She was attended by Miss Alice Ethel Mills, her sister, who wore pale blue Japanese silk and carried yellow chrysanthemums. The best man was Mr. Royal Herbert Mills, a brother of the bride. Miss Louise Locko played appropriate wedding marches for the bridal party as it entered and left the parlors where the ceremony took place.

Following the ceremony, a wedding supper was served. The house was prettily decorated in keeping with the event. Mr. and Mrs. Greenough were the recipients of many costly and beautiful gifts, including articles of

cut glass and silver. After an extended wedding tour, they will reside at 17 Prescott street, Somerville, where they will be at home to their friends after December 12.

Mr. John F. Kelly, after a brief illness, has returned to his duties as instructor at the Lowell Commercial college.

Could Hardly Hear

Senses of Taste and Smell were Also Greatly Impaired
"I was afflicted with catarrh," wrote Eugene Forbes, Lebanon, Kansas. "I took several different medicines, giving each a fair trial, but grew worse until I could hardly hear, taste or smell. I was about to give up in despair, but concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. After taking three bottles of this medicine I was cured, but decided to take two more, and have not had any return of the disease."

Hood's Sarsaparilla effects radical and permanent cures of catarrh. Get it today. In usual liquid form or tablets called Sarsapabs. 100 doses for \$1.00.

MAGISTRATE BREEN

Says Pay Envelopes Are Not For Wife to Open

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Wives have no right "tyrannically to coerce their husbands to give them their pay envelopes sealed, but the husband who voluntarily turns his pay envelope over to his wife, if she is frugal and sagacious, is the best citizen in New York," according to Magistrate Matthey P. Breen.

In a lecture to a couple in Essex Market Court, yesterday, the magistrate discussed this matter of wives running the family finances, but he denied Mrs. Annie Louides the order she sought to force her husband, Louis, of No. 14 Forsyth street, to give a certain amount weekly for the household.

Mrs. Louides complained that her husband, who is a mechanic earning \$15 a week, gives her only 50 cents a day to support herself and two children and run the home.

"I'll tell you what's the trouble," the husband interposed. "My wife wants me to turn my pay envelope over to her every Saturday night, sealed. She wants me to give her every cent I earn and make me beg her to hand me out a nickel every time I want a cigar, a glass of beer, or car fare. I don't think that's a respectable position for a husband and father to occupy."

"You want too much," said Magistrate Breen, turning to the complaining wife. "To require your husband to turn his unopened pay envelope over to you each week would amount to tyranny of the sort most dangerous to the perpetuation of the home as the sacred institution it is today. A wife has no right to make such demands of her husband. The husband is the sole owner of the fund, and has the sole right, perhaps, to examine the contents of an

envelope representing his recompense for his daily toil.

"While I cannot sanction the doctrine of a wife compelling her husband to turn over his pay envelope intact to her, it is my firm judgment that the man who does voluntarily give all his earnings to his frugal and sagacious wife for the conduct of the household, the clothing of the children and preparing them for school and Sunday school is the ideal New York citizen."

"John Stuart Mill, the eminent English political economist, it is said, was once asked what class of men in England were the happiest. He replied the mechanic who earned good wages and gave his pay envelope to his wife every Saturday night for the maintenance of his home."

"I agree fully with that sentiment, but such a doctrine is forgotten too much in this modern, bustling age. It ought to be revived, however, and it occurs to me some mighty good efforts could be expended in propaganda work designed to give this doctrine not alone general approval, but general use."

"Moreover, if a man has the right sort of a wife, I see not the least objection to his allowing her full freedom in going into his pockets, while he sleeps or under any other circumstances. The trouble with my wife is she doesn't get enough when she goes into my pockets."

"Also I think it encourages regard for honesty among children to permit them to exercise reasonable freedom in getting money they need from their father's pockets. There is too wide a gulf these days between the average father and his children. The average father, I observe, does not place enough confidence in his own sons; he does not try them out enough and teach them the value of confidence and honesty."

The magistrate is against coercion, and dismissed the complaint against Louides.

ATTACKS HIBBARD

Saunders Says He Should Not Run For Mayor

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Former Election Commissioner Charles H. Saunders last night issued another open letter to Mayor Hibbard, this time replying to the mayor's reply to his open letter of Sunday night, calling for his (the mayor's) withdrawal from the mayoralty contest.

Mr. Saunders concludes his statement that if the mayor continues in his present course nothing but infamy will be his place in history "insofar as you are remembered at all."

He also terms Mr. Hibbard's reference to "loyalty to the city" as the refinement of sarcasm.

The letter is as follows:

"The Hon. George A. Hibbard, 55 Beaufort street, Dorchester Centre:

"Dear Sir—Your letter in reply to mine of yesterday is received. I am not surprised that you attempt no defense of your violation, in disregard of all honor, of your solemn pledge not to be a candidate for re-election, which you publicly and repeatedly gave the voters two years ago when appealing for this support. It admits of none."

"You say that you felt it your duty to maintain your candidacy, feeling sure that Mr. Storrow's loyalty to the city would compel his withdrawal. Pardon me for saying that, in my opinion, for one taking the attitude that you do at the present moment, to speak of 'loyalty to the city' is the refinement of sarcasm."

"In reply to my suggestion that you have received full compensation for your labors as mayor by the salary of \$10,000 a year, you say there are some things in this world which mere money cannot compensate for. Your

agreement with the city was to serve it to the best of your ability for two years for the compensation of \$10,000 a year in full. You cannot now write into this contract other compensation—lost of all, the compensation of a second term which you solemnly agreed to forego in order to increase your chances of getting any term at all."

"Mr. Mayor, the role of martyr which you would assume does not fit. The people know the difference between the true and the false."

"When President John Quincy Adams, rather than use the federal patronage for his own re-election, went down to defeat, he was one. When Senator Ross of Kansas voted against the impeachment of President Johnson, thereby saving the country from the permanent weakening of the executive power, but sealing his own political fate, he was one. When Governor Greenhalge, as a member of the Massachusetts house of representatives in 1855, voted to retain the competent democratic clerk of the house, Edward A. McLaughlin, against a republican candidate for the position from his own ward in Lowell, and suffered defeat for re-election by one vote, in consequence, he was one."

"These men were martyrs for principle. They threw their influence on the right side, and the people remember them with gratitude."

"But when Benedict Arnold sought to deliver West Point to the British, when Hull surrendered Detroit without firing a shot, and when John Tyler betrayed the whig party which elected him, there was no martyrdom in store for them—nothing but infamy, and such will be your place in history, insofar as you are remembered at all, if you continue in your present course."

Yours very truly,
Charles H. Saunders."

ARREST WOMEN

On Charge of Attempted Larceny

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Two well dressed women, wearing costly furs, were booked at police headquarters yesterday on charges of attempted larceny from the person. They were arrested by Inspectors Burr and Smith and gave the names of Eva Harris, 27 years old, 15 Salem st., and Elsie Herman, 20, of Washington street.

The arresting officers said the young women had been followed through the big stores by house detectives. One of these detectives claims she saw one of the prisoners take a pocketbook from an unknown woman.

Outside of saying that they lived in Boston the women refused to talk. The address, 15 Salem street, is a store, and neither of the women are known there.

Nearly \$100 was found on the women when searched at headquarters. The money was in small bunches. A small seal pocketbook and a brown pocketbook were also found.

MAN'S HEAD

IS ASSUMING SHAPE OF LION'S CAPUT

CINCINNATI, Nov. 30.—The head of Charles Meyers, a shoe maker, 22 years old, is gradually losing its human character and assuming the shape of a lion's caput. The man who is an inmate of the city hospital here was exhibited last night before the Medical Association as the victim of one of the rarest diseases known to medical science. It is known as Leontiasis ossia and only a couple of cases are on record.

The doctors declare that in a short time he must either become insane or die.

\$3 Eye Glasses \$1

Just to familiarize you with my work and method of examining eyes, I offer my \$3.00 Glasses for \$1.00 Open every day except Wednesdays.

J. W. GRADY
EYESIGHT SPECIALIST,
Weymouth, Mass.

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POETS IN INTERNATIONAL WAR

OVER "SERPENT'S TONGUE" POEM



NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The prospect of two celebrated poets engaging in a duel, a fist fight, or a red-hot combat of words is causing literary folk in New York to sit up nights in anticipation of the fray. The belligerents are William Watson, the English poet, and Richard Le Gallienne, Mr. Watson says he is coming to make Mr. Le Gallienne out his rhymes, and the latter says he is ready for any kind of argument from shotguns to boxing gloves.

He wrote a certain poem entitled "The Poet With the Coward's Tongue." Mr. Le Gallienne admits his verses were aimed at the Englishman in reply to "The Woman With the Serpent's Tongue," which he brands as ungallant in the extreme. Mr. Watson says he is coming to make Mr. Le Gallienne out his rhymes, and the latter says he is ready for any kind of argument from shotguns to boxing gloves.

FRENCH GOVERNMENT

Has Been Drawn Into the Nicaraguan Trouble

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 30.—A cable from San Jose, Costa Rica says:

The French government has been drawn into the Nicaraguan trouble in a way that promises serious consequences for Zelaya as the result of brutal outrages committed on French citizens residing in Nicaragua. An official complaint has been lodged with the French consul-general in Costa Rica by Pauline Montiel, a Frenchman. Montiel who was manager of a farm owned by M. Mender of Paris and situated on the southeast coast of the great lake of Nicaragua, says:

"On the 22nd of October last we were surprised by a large detachment of troops commanded by a gentleman called Larion, who we were told is an aide de camp of the president of Nicaragua. Immediately both Mr. Montiel and myself were bound and dragged to the edge of the lake where after the mockery of a trial they threatened to shoot us—a threat which they repeated three times."

"As soon as we were safely in the boat, the soldiers returned to sack the farm, wresting the keys from the housekeeper and carrying off all objects of value on which they could lay their hands, some of which we recognized later in Lortuga. We had to regain possession of our own harvest by purchasing them from those to whom they had sold them."

"During the operations at the farm the housekeeper was brutally treated by Larion and it was with difficulty that she saved herself from being killed. They completely stripped the farm, not taking into account the French flag which was at the time hoisted over the house."

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THE DAVIS CUP SECRETARY MEYER

Is Retained by the Australians

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Nov. 30.—The Australian defenders retain the Dwight D. Davis challenge cup, having defeated today the Americans in the final match of the international tennis tournament. The play was in single and the Californians made a better showing than in the earlier match.

The score:
International Singles.
A. M. Williams, New Zealand, beat Maurice McLaughlin, United States, 2-6, 8-6, 6-2, 6-3.
Norman E. Brooks, Victoria, beat Melvin Long, United States, 6-4, 7-5, 8-6.

THE SUGAR TRUST

Sen. Burkett to open War on It

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Senator Elmer J. Burkett of Nebraska has prepared a resolution, which he intends to present to congress, calling for a thorough investigation of the sugar trust. He declared on his arrival at the capital that his resolution would



SENATOR BURKETT

not in any way interfere with the work of the department of justice, but that he was determined, if possible, to have the trust's affairs probed to the bottom so that the men primarily responsible for killing off competition in the sugar business and perpetrating the various frauds which the government might be brought to justice.

COUNT SEES ROCKEFELLER

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 30.—Count P. A. De Vries was successful yesterday in his effort to see John D. Rockefeller in his effort to obtaining the Zuylen de Vries, Holland, and opening up the door of that body of water to truck traffic. The count is the promoter of this plan and desired to interest Mr. Rockefeller in the extent of financing the proposition.

In previous efforts to reach Forest Hill, the home of Mr. Rockefeller, it is said the count was repulsed, and on one occasion shots were fired at his automobile. It is reported.

Yesterday the count was admitted to the grounds at Forest Hill. He talked with Mr. Rockefeller while following him around the old links. The count left for New York last night on the Twentieth Century Limited after a short stay here.

ART OF SELF-DEFENSE

LONDON, N. Y., Nov. 30.—View to the furtherance of the art of self-defense, the newspaper Sportsman, Life, with the Earl of Londonderry's approval and the promise of his assistance, has started a movement for an international board, on which Great Britain and the United States each will have two representatives and Australia and France each one.

The objects of the board are: First, to frame rules to govern international championship; second, to fix weights for such championships; third, to decide who is entitled to claim championships; and fourth, to compile lists and trophies to recognized champions.

Has Inaugurated Reforms in the Navy Department

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—By inaugurating his comprehensive plan of reform in the navy department tomorrow, Secretary Meyer will forestall probably all attempts at congressional reformation of the department for the present. At this time he will ask only that the bureau of equipment be abolished, which can be accomplished by congress alone.

A year hence if his reforms are found to be as satisfactory in practice as they appear on paper he will ask congress to make permanent the changes by enacting them into law.

Legislation is particularly desired in order to allow the secretary to name any officers he may desire as his four aides, one for operation of the fleet, a second for material, a third for personnel, and a fourth for inspection. At present he is limited to the higher ranking officers.

Little else than the effect of the reform was discussed at the navy department today. They are regarded as a striking victory for the line officers. This is notably the case in the navy yards where the power conferred by Secretary Newberry on naval constructors is given to the commandants by Secretary Meyer.

Secretary Meyer intends to appoint younger men to the positions of commandants and captains in the navy yards. Their tenure of office will be three years at least and instead of making it an "easy snap" for officers who want to round out their careers the commandants in the future will be men who will later go out in command of ships.

The position of aide of operations of the fleet is generally regarded as likely to become the most important assignment in the navy. Upon this officer in time of war would fall the duties performed by the strategy board during the Spanish-American war and by Assistant Secretary Fox during the civil war.

KILLED HIS WIFE

Brooklyn Man Then Attempted to Commit Suicide

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Patrick H. Rafferty killed his wife in their Brooklyn home early today by cutting her throat with a razor. Frank Ohland, a brother-in-law, attempted to interfere as did Margaret Kelly, mother of Mrs. Rafferty. Ohland was severely cut and Mrs. Kelly's skull was fractured by a blow from a broomstick. Rafferty then ran into the yard and attempted to kill himself by cutting his own throat with the razor he had used on his wife.

GETS VERDICT

BUT THE DEFENDANT BECAME A BANKRUPT

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Miss Mamie Shea, a pretty young woman, who last month won an award of \$2,341 from Nicholas Pappas, a Grand street confectioner, as lady for her broken heart, probably won't enjoy her financial situation after all.

Pappas went into voluntary bankruptcy yesterday, claiming that he owes \$25,000 and had nothing in the world except to pay it except the testing sum of \$30 in bank. Those who heard of the bankruptcy were surprised, for they said Pappas had prospered in which he was partner and in the same time disposed of a half interest in two store buildings sold to a north \$50,000, although subject to mortgages.

Pappas, who is much older than Miss Shea, 54 in love with her when she came into his shop to buy household.

TOWN REFUSES LICENSES

NORTH BOSTON, R. L., Nov. 29.—Despite the vote for license at the last election the town council yesterday refused to grant three permits. These were the only applications, although the town is entitled to eight saloons. Some members of the council say they will resign before granting any permits to sell liquor. There is no way of compelling them to grant licenses, as the law leaves it in their hands.

TO FIGHT SUIT

STICKNEY WILL NOT GIVE IN TO CHORUS WIFE

TAUNTON, Nov. 30.—The friends of Mrs. Harold D. Stickney, who, prior to her marriage with the son of one of the most aristocratic families in this state, was Miss Mabel Gould Slocum, a chorus girl, were surprised today to hear about her suit for divorce.

In her suit for divorce she charges her husband with cruel and abusive treatment. She further alleges that Stickney abused her from March 20 of this year and also prior to that date.

Several of the people here today stated that when the couple were first married the news of the divorce did not please Mrs. Stickney's mother.

When the bride was presented to her mother-in-law a few days after the marriage, the latter was so taken with her daughter-in-law's good looks that she freely forgave the elopement.

It was learned yesterday that Mr. Stickney will contest the case, and has engaged prominent attorneys to fight the divorce case.

MINE DISASTER INVESTIGATION

CHERRY, Ill., Nov. 30.—Investigation as to the cause of the St. Paul mine disaster was begun yesterday by Coroner A. H. Malin, who took identification statements of relatives and friends of victims whose bodies have been recovered from the mine. The identity of thirty bodies was established.

SIX DAYS RACE

The Foreign Riders Arrive in New York

When the French Line steamship La Touraine docked in New York city Saturday morning, there were, after the usual seance with the customs inspectors, disembarked nine foreign riders, all but one of whom have come to America for the express purpose of competing in the forthcoming six days race which will take place in Madison Square Garden, New York city, the week of December 5 to 11, inclusive.

The riders who sailed from Havre, France, were Walter Rutt, of Germany; John Stoll, of Holland; Leon Georget, G. Germain, Emile Georget, and Charles Parent, of France; Cunliffe and E. Carapezzi of Italy; Reginald Shirley of England.

The only rider of the number named who did not compete in the six days trial in Havre, the world's champion pace follower. He has been engaged to meet Robert J. Walther in a special 10 miles motor-paced race, which may or may not be the feature of the preliminary race meet next Saturday night, 4th inst. The real feature of that meet doubtless will be the match sprint race between Frank L. Kramer, who won the American professional championship this season through a technicality, and A. J. Clarke, the Australian, who finished second in the series, and whose withdrawal in the final race gave Kramer a more or less hollow victory.

The match race will be of more than ordinary interest for the reason stated. Plans for the six days race next week have progressed rapidly. The track, which will measure one-tenth of a mile, as in former years will be completed in time to allow the new riders sufficient practice upon its sharp banks. Pending the completion of the ten laps wooden saucer, the foreign and other riders will devote their time to training upon the roads.

The foreigners do not appear as formidable an aggregation as have crossed the pond upon former occasions. The prowess of Rutt and Stoll, who won in 1907, and finished second to Macfarland and Moran last year, is well known. Leon Georget and Emile Georget rode as a team in 1907, but the latter did not compete last year. Victor Dupre being Leon's mate. In view of the fact that Emile has been on the sick list for about a year it is doubtful if he will be a great help to his younger brother.

The other teams are Germain and Shirley and Cunliffe and Carapezzi. It was learned that Germain is not a negro, but an old time French plunger, but at any rate he is not a crack. Reginald Shirley is an English sprinter, ranking with Benyon, who blew up early in the race two years ago. This is the maiden offense for both Germain and Shirley, as it will be for Cunliffe and Carapezzi, the Italian duo. Cunliffe is not a track rider and he may find it difficult to accustom himself to such a small track as the Madison Square Garden oval. As a hardy road rider he is in a class with Gerby, one of the best macadam fliers that the sunny peninsula ever produced. Carapezzi is a well known second-class sprinter.

So far as can be learned the field of contestants now numbers 17 teams, and unless there are eleventh hour changes the combinations that will whirl around the ten laps pine howl all next week a million times or less, are as follows:

Road and Fogler, Anderson and Vanoni, Lawson and De Mar, Pye and Heiler, Lawrence and Hilstead, West and Milton, Krebs and Cameron, Galvin and Jones, Bardgett and Logan, Wiley and Drobach, Clarke and Macfarland, Walther and Collins, Carapezzi and Cunliffe, Rutt and Stoll, Georget and Georget, Germain and Shirley, and Hill and Stein.

FIRE IN NASHUA

Caused the Loss of About \$3500

NASHUA, N. H., Nov. 30.—Fire, which resulted in a loss of \$3500, destroyed the stables adjoining the residence of Gen. Charles W. Stevens on Main street yesterday. It broke out late in the afternoon and owing to the quantity of hay and grain in the loft the fire companies from the central and Lake street stations were kept on duty until 8 o'clock.

The fire started in an unknown way and had gained considerable headway when discovered. By the time the fire companies could be assembled the building and its adjoining carriage house were enveloped in flames.

After an hour's work the flames were under control and the balance of the time was devoted to extinguishing the blaze in the hay, of which there were seven tons in the stable. Two horses which were in the stable were taken out, but harnesses and other equipments were lost.

The F. D. Cook Lumber company's storehouse and other buildings were threatened at times. The building was covered by an insurance of \$2500.

100 MEN RESCUED

One Man Was Burned to Death

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 30.—Frank Marrow, an American, was killed at a coal mine explosion at Marion, Ill., yesterday and more than 100 men were rescued with difficulty. Marrow was in that portion of the mine which received the full force of the explosion and his body was nearly incinerated before the rescuers could reach it.

More than 100 men were in the colliery when the gas blast came. There was an immediate rush for the shaft and as the cage had not been damaged, all the workmen were soon brought to the surface.

Nearly a score of the men, however, mindful of the disaster at Cherry, Ill., were too terrified to await the usual means of exit and climbed to daylight through the ventilating shaft.

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JIMMY GARDNER

Allowed Twin Sullivan to Reach Him

NEW HAVEN, Nov. 30.—In the opinion of nearly all the 3000 fans who witnessed the 12-round go at the Grand Opera House last evening between Mike (Twin) Sullivan of Cambridge and Jimmy Gardner of Lowell, there was an understanding between the principals.

The crowd blessed the fighters again and again and went home disgusted.

The bout was declared a draw. The Anchor athletic club, which arranged the match, was not held responsible by the spectators, for the blame was charged up to the boxers. The fact that the bout was at catchweight and not at welterweight also tended to strengthen the belief of the crowd that it was a fake, pure and simple.

Five or six times, Gardner simply stood still and allowed Sullivan to pummel him at will. There was not a good blow struck in the bout. Boxing has never been popular with the New Haven police, and in the opinion of the experts last night's affair will make it difficult to get another permit in this city.

The police stopped the preliminary bout between Eddie Kelly of Bridgeport and "Joe" Marks of Highwood in the second round in order to save Kelly from being knocked out as he was in bad shape.

The semi-final between "Bunny" Ford of New Haven and Terry Fitzgerald of New Britain resulted in a draw. This was a 10-round go. In the first few rounds Fitzgerald, but Fitzgerald was clever in blocking and evaded matters.

YOUNG LOUGHREY WON
BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Young Loughrey of Philadelphia, easily defeated Eddie Murphy of South Boston in 12 rounds at the National A. C. in South Boston last night. The bout was all Loughrey's from the start.

In the preliminaries Kiki McDonald and Joe Murphy, both of Boston, went eight rounds to a draw and the referee stopped the bout between Jimmy Kerrigan and Mike Murray, both of South Boston, in the fifth round and gave the decision to Murray, Kerrigan being in bad shape.

JACK JOHNSON
WILL NOT FIGHT JEFFRIES IN THE SOUTH
SAYANNAH, Ga., Nov. 30.—That he would not fight Jimmie Jeffries south of Mason and Dixon's line was the statement made yesterday by Jack Johnson, heavy weight pugilist. In a telegram to Mr. Nick Ayres of a local athletic club, in answer to the latter's offer of a purse for the battle.

This statement accompanied the advice that if it would be useless for a southern club to make an offer because the black man would not consider it.

JUDGE UTLEY
DETERMINED TO KEEP DRUNKS OFF THE CARS
WORCESTER, Nov. 30.—Judge Samuel Utley of the central district court yesterday took a hand in the effort to eliminate the presence of drunken men on suburban cars running into Worcester from the license towns around the city by imposing a \$15 fine on a defendant.

In imposing the fine Judge Utley said: "If the railway authorities moved in this matter in the right direction in the first place, there wouldn't be any evil like this at all. Years ago I told the probation officers that drunken men taken from electric cars or trains should not be discharged without arraignment. These men should be dealt with harshly, and the growing street car nuisance would soon pass into oblivion."

DANIEL REED
MAN OF NOTED ANCESTRY IS DEAD
ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 30.—The body of Daniel Reed, who died here Sunday night, aged 91, at the Emergency home for aged people, was cremated yesterday afternoon at the Missouri crematory. He was born in Camden, Me., and leaves a daughter Miss Vestal Reed, aged 61.

His grandfather was Gen. James Reed, who served under Washington in the Revolution. In 1840 he married Martha Frances Gray, granddaughter of William Gray of Boston, who owned 99 ships.

He was 20 years a sea captain, leaving that calling to become internal revenue gatherer at Boston. He was assistant surgeon under Gen. U. S. Grant in the Civil war, after which he was a really recent many years and he retired to the soldiers' home at Danville, Ill. He came to the Emergency home nine years ago.

CLARENCE GRONGER, DECLARED AMATEUR SKATING CHAMPION

SARANAC LAKE, Nov. 30.—Clarence Granger, who was recently given the title of champion amateur ice skater of the United States by the Eastern Amateur Skating association, is now hard at work conditioning himself for the many big meets to be held in the near future. Granger has replaced Edmund Lamy, the speed marvel of

SARANAC LAKE, N. Y., who is to be henceforth classed as a professional. Granger finished second to Lamy in nearly all the important races of last winter in Cleveland, Pittsburg and Newburg, N. Y. Granger is now the national champion in the one and a half and two and a half miles as well as an international champion at five miles.

A day or two and finish his training with Jimmie Gardner. The bout will draw a large attendance from Boston and other cities. Thomas has met such men as Tommy Sullivan, Honey Meloy, Dr. Sallor Burke, Jack Twin Sullivan, Harry Lewis and Stanley Ketchel. Ketchel and Thomas have met four times in two 20 round bouts, a 22 round affair and a two rounder. In addition to the main bout Jack O'Hare and Billy Clifton will go eight rounds at catchweights and Young Ross and Young Doyle will go six. The meeting will be for members only.

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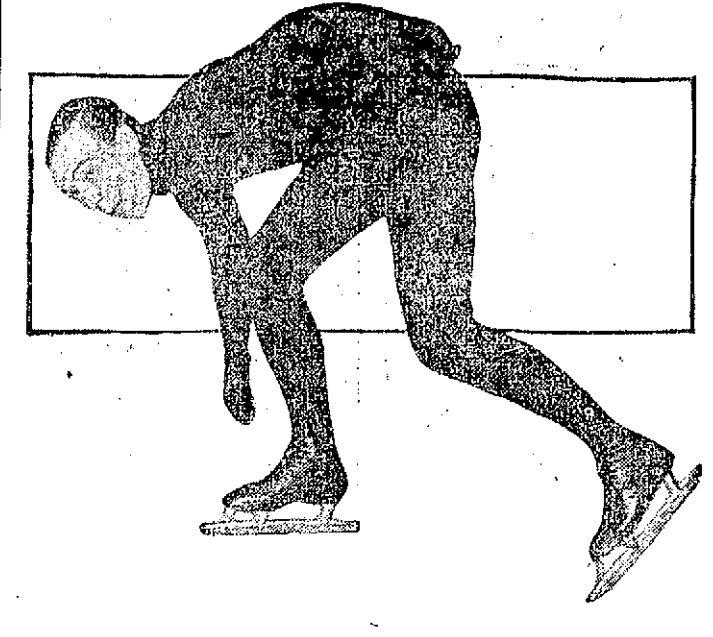
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BOXING GOSSIP

The Gladstone club will certainly have some class to its show next Tuesday evening when the principal bout will be of 12 rounds between Joe Thomas of California and Tommy Crawford of Philadelphia. The two leading middle-weights of the present time, Crawford would go anywhere to meet Thomas while there is no place in the country that Thomas would go to quicker than Lowell, and hence the Gladstone club was able to get this big bout which ordinarily would go to a bigger city. Thomas will come here in

STIRRING CLIMAX IN "THE FOURTH ESTATE"--

SOME SUFFRAGE LEADERS AT BIG BENEFIT



NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Probably the most effective move made by the woman suffrage leaders in New York to spread the propaganda of their cause was the benefit which they arranged at Wallace's theatre, where the great newspaper play "The Fourth Estate" is having such a popular run. Principle in the undertaking were Miss Alice Fisher and Miss Pauline Frederick, who have two of the prominent roles in the play. They prevailed upon the management to offer the entire receipts of one performance to the suffrage cause and invite such leaders as Mrs. Belmont, Dr. Anna Shaw and Mrs.

Pankhurst, the English suffragist, to cover the whole of the United States in the next few months. Those active in arranging the big benefit were Dr. Anna Shaw, Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, Mrs. Jane Campbell, Mrs. Ella Cross, Miss Carolyn Crosscut, Mrs. A. F. Townsend, Mrs. Helen Greenfield, Mrs. Harriett Mills, Mrs. N. S. Fraser, Mrs. E. J. Shuler, Mrs. Henry Villard, Mrs. W. M. Feins, Miss Lucy Anthony, niece of Susan B. Anthony, Mrs. Owen Kendrick, Miss Fisher and Miss Frederick. The scene shown in this illustration is at the climax of the play, when Miss Pauline Frederick, as Judith Bartelmey, pleads to prevent publication of a story exposing her father.

A TRIPLE TIE

For the World's Billiard Championship

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—A triple tie for the world's professional 18.2 ball line billiard championship resulted from yesterday's play in the tournament at Madison Square garden. At the afternoon session, George Sutton of Chicago, defeated Firmin Cassagnol, the French champion; and this evening Calvin Demarest of Chicago won from George Slosson, the New York player.

The two winners are therefore tied with Harry P. Cline of Philadelphia, each of the three having completed his schedule with four games won and one lost. The scores of the six contestants for the championship are as follows:

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Cline	4	1	.800
Sutton	4	1	.800
Demarest	4	1	.800
Slosson	1	3	.250
Cassagnol	1	4	.200
Cutler	0	4	.000

One game is still to be played in the regular series between Slosson and Cutler, and this will be decided Thursday afternoon, while the triple tie for first place will be played off in three games. Demarest will play Cline on Wednesday, the loser of that match will play Sutton on Thursday, and the winners of the two matches will play on Friday.

The Demarest-Slosson match last evening was close at first but toward the latter part of it Demarest scored heavily, going out in the 22d inning with a brilliant unfinished run of 82, and winning by a score of 560 to 364. Slosson made a remarkable run of 123 in his 11th, finally missing a three-cushion try by the narrowest margin. This sent the Slosson score up to 181 against 115 for Demarest, but the Chicago player overcame this lead with a series of two figure runs and kept his lead to the end.

DR. ROLLER HELD GOTCH
DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 30.—Dr. B. F. Roller, wrestling champion of the Pacific coast, held Frank Gotch, world's heavyweight wrestling champion, fifteen minutes without a fall last night in an exhibition here.

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BOWLING NOTES

Several Contests on the Alleys Last Night

There were two contests in the Catholic league last night. One of the games resulted in the Belvideres taking two points from St. Peter's, while in the other game the Y. M. C. I. captured two from the Burkes.

The Grimsdens and Blues, two teams made up of young men, met on the alleys last night and the former team won the game by a big margin. The scores:

CATHOLIC LEAGUE			
St. Peter's			
Louporet	90	75	85 251
Riley	67	81	85 233
Dunham	83	76	86 245
O'Donohoe	89	80	105 265
McCarthy	92	92	110 294
Totals	412	406	469 1287

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Belvidere				
Curry	83	100	92	275
Gilligan	80	108	94	280
Clark	108	88	107	303
L. Martin	100	90	74	264
Vice	87	89	95	271
Totals	458	478	462	1333

STABBED TO DEATH

Young Woman Was Trying to Save Her Father

VINCENNES, Ind., Nov. 30.—Interfering to save her father, Jasper Burba, Miss Bita Burba, 20 years old, was stabbed to death by Oscar Savage, her sweetheart, at her home last night. Savage attacked Burba with a long knife, inflicting a gash across the forehead. Burba defended himself with a bottle and his daughter tried to protect him. Either in a fit of rage or by accident, Savage plunged the knife

into the girl's heart and she died almost instantly. Burba told his sister-in-law to call the police. Savage pursued her, brandishing the bloody knife until she reached the police station. Then he returned to the Burba home, and placed his sweetheart's body on a bed. He was sitting beside it when the police arrived. He seemed stupefied and protested that the girl was not dead.

COCAINE USED

By the Inmates at Deer Island

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—James C. White, secretary to Mayor Hibbard, has, at the latter's request, made an investigation of the charges that cocaine and other drugs are being used by the inmates of the house of correction at Deer Island, and in his report he admits that the "dope" habit exists among the prisoners, but not to any such alarming extent as has been represented.

Sec. White reports that of the 1500 prisoners at the house of correction not more than 40 are victims or users of drugs. He places the number between 25 and 40, although allegations have been made that approximately 300 were addicted to the drug habit.

In regard to the charges that cocaine and other forms of drug were given to the prisoners by officers at the institution, Sec. White believes

that they are unfounded, but he practically admits that the stuff has been brought to the island in surreptitious ways. Neither does the secretary believe that large quantities of drugs reach the inmates, nor does he believe that drugs are brought to the island regularly.

In his investigation Sec. White discovered that cocaine reached the prisoners through the many furtive ways which the inventive minds of those afflicted with the craze have devised, and he is of the opinion that some cocaine has been given to prisoners in exchange for postage stamps and in the binding of books. Although he thinks part of the dope is brought in by the inmates themselves at the time of their commitment and in such a manner as to defy a bodily search, the bulk of the smuggling has been done by visitors.

As to the charges that some of the officers have assisted in the illegal traffic in drugs, the secretary says that it is true, and it is also to be feared that among the officers there have been some who have fallen under the temptation, but upon mere suspicion these officers have been discharged, and he feels confident that when the master of the house of correction asserts that he now thinks his lists are clear, that they are and that justice is being done the officers when it is said that they are aware of the situation and daily witnesses of the various attending practices.

As a remedy against the evil, Sec. White recommends in his report that the 30 or 40 inmates addicted to drug be at once segregated and placed under the observation of the medical officers. He also goes a step further and recommends that the list of visitors to the island be reduced and that all officers on the island be sworn in as constables. He suggests that Mayor Hibbard make a request of the head of the Harvard or Tufts medical school, or both, to have two or more experts, preferably men who have had charge of sanitariums where drug cures are made to make a special investigation of the conditions and report a plan, not only for preventing the growth, at least at Deer Island, of the practice, but of possibly curing such inmates as are now suffering from the habit.

MRS. M. T. SCOTT

Seeks Re-Election as Head of D. A. R.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Scouting a two-term ambition on the part of Mrs. Matthew T. Scott, who was last year elected to the presidency of the D. A. R., leaders of the large opposition to her administration are in the field with plans to combat that ambition.

The announcement that Mrs. Scott will run again in the spring of 1911 is said to have been conveyed to intimate friends among her supporters. The "incumbent," whose candidate, Mrs. William Cunningham Story of New York city, had only eight votes less than Mrs. Scott at the election last fall, are openly charging that Mrs. Scott is pleading not to seek re-election.

It is claimed, however, that the Illinois state organization to which she belongs has from the first insisted that it would put Mrs. Scott in the field a second time.

Mrs. Scott, who has engaged a suite of rooms for the winter at the Arlington, has decided to spend the season in Washington and will entertain in lavishly style between now and April, the month set for the annual continental congress.

She is a woman of wealth and influential social connections, possessed of an attractive personality, and it is said wishes her administration to be as brilliant socially as was that of Mrs. Charles Warren Fairbanks.

NEW CITY HALL

For New York Will Cost \$7,500,000

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Plans for the \$7,500,000 twenty-five story municipal building, 550 feet high, were approved by the board of estimate yesterday, and contracts for the work will be let within a few days.

This great structure, which will house most of the city departments will be erected near the Brooklyn bridge, and will have 650,000 feet of floor space.

COMMITTEE ON SEWERS
The committee on sewers went a-venturing yesterday afternoon, and last night gave hearings on petitions for sewers in Moore and Marsh streets and Plummer avenue. Sewers in Moore and Marsh streets were voted by the Plummer avenue sewer was not voted.

AN ITCHING PALM

No Cure for It. Other Forms of Itching Preferable

There is no cure for an itching palm—the money maker. Even poslam, the new skin discovery, cannot help it. But when it comes to poslam, the most annoying of itching skin troubles, poslam will stop the itching at once and cure the worst cases in a few days. So with hives, rash, scabies, split toes, bites, and scaly scalp, all of which are different forms of eczema, accompanied by severe itching and caused by imperfect digestion and careless diet.

Poslam comes in two-dollar jars, but fifty cents' worth will answer in curing any of the diseases mentioned. It can be had of any druggist. Falls & Burkinshaw and Carter & Sherburne make a specialty of it.

That results are immediate will be amply demonstrated overnight by the use of the experimental sample which the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West Twenty-first street, New York City, will send free by mail, in plain wrapper, to anyone who will write for it.

PANIC STRICKEN

Families Scared by Explosion of Dynamite

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Dynamite dropped down the chimney wrecked the flat of Abraham Elkinich in East 13th street last night, and falling debris cut him severely about the head. His wife, with an infant in her arms, was hurled across the room, but neither was badly hurt. Twenty-five families in the building were panic-stricken and fled to the street. The owner of the tenement who has been receiving "Black Hand" letters, is supposed to have been the object of the attack.

WESTFORD MAN

INJURED IN AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT

John Abbott of Westford was seriously injured in Lexington on Saturday afternoon as the result of an automobile in which he was riding being overturned. He received a broken collarbone, a cut on the back of the head and several bruises.

Mr. Abbott was riding with Walter Carl in the latter's automobile, a Pope-Hartford, when the accident occurred. The car was bowling along the state road between Concord and Arlington. When a sharp corner was reached Mr. Carl applied the brakes in order to slow down, that he might negotiate the curve, but the brakes refused to work, the car skidded and turning turtle threw the occupants out.

Mr. Carl escaped injury, but Mr. Abbott was not so fortunate. The latter was assisted to a house nearby and a doctor was called.

Another machine was secured and both young men were taken to Mr. Abbott's home. Mr. Abbott is now resting comfortably.

THE LEWISOHN ESTATE

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—The estate of the late Leonard Lewisohn of New York was not in any way involved in the Old Dominion Co. litigation in this state, as stated in a despatch sent from this city on Saturday, when executors amounting to \$2,182,839 were issued by the supreme court against Albert S. Bigelow of Boston and in favor of the company.

The late Mr. Lewisohn and Mr. Bigelow were partners in organizing the Old Dominion Co. and some time ago the company brought suit to recover alleged profits obtained without the knowledge of other officials. Mr. Lewisohn was not sued in this state but in New York, and when the case was carried to Washington he won. This litigation was distinct from that recently disposed of by the supreme court of this state. It is understood that Mr. Bigelow will appeal to the supreme court of the United States.

WON FIRST PRIZE
BARRETT, N. C., Nov. 30.—The Alago state of the Continental trials was finished here yesterday, the winner, first prize being Cowley's Pride, English setter, owned by U. H. Fleischer, of New York, handled by C. H. Babcock of New Bedford, Mass.

The conditions under which the dogs ran were very trying, for it was very dry and while there are plenty of birds on the grounds, it was difficult for the dogs to handle them.

SPITTING NUISANCE

Hawking and Spitting is Caused by Catarrh Germs

If the local authorities want to stop the disgusting habit of spitting mucous on the sidewalks, they had better direct the people to the best method of killing the catarrh germs and curing catarrh.

You can easily tell by reading the symptoms below whether you have catarrh or not:

Offensive breath, frequent sneezing, discharge from nose, stoppage of the nose, huskiness of the voice, tickling in throat, droppings in throat, a cough, pain in chest, loss of strength, variable appetite, spasms of coughing, low spirited at times, raising of mucus, difficulty in breathing, loss of vital force.

Carter & Sherburne have a sensible remedy for catarrh. It is called "Catarrh Cure," and it is a vaporized air so antiseptic that when it is breathed over the inflamed and germ-infested membrane, it kills all germ life and cures catarrh.

The price, including hard rubber in haler, is only \$1.60, and money back if it doesn't cure. Extra bottles, 50 cents.

"I have tried almost every catarrh cure on the market without benefit. Have been using Hyomel for one week and feel like a new man already."

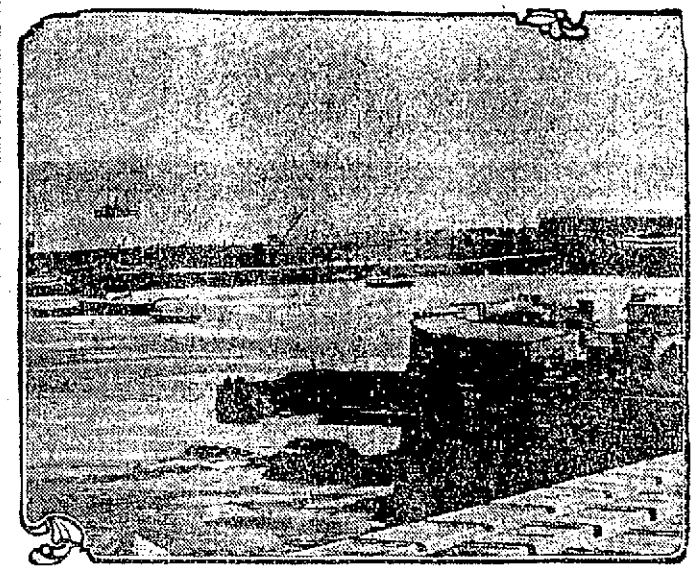
Wm. V. Goode, Newark, Ohio, June 2, 1909.

MI-ONA

Cures Indigestion

It relieves stomach misery, non-stomach, belching, and cures all stomach disease or money back. Large box of tablets 60 cents. Druggists in all towns.

PORT OF SANTA CRUZ, TENERIFE, MENACED BY STREAMS OF LAVA



SANTA CRUZ, Nov. 29.—Several towns containing thousands of persons are threatened with destruction by volcanic eruptions on the island of Tenerife, the largest of the Canary group. The island is about sixty miles long and thirty wide, and the volcanoes are situated near its center. Lava thrown up by constant eruptions is flowing into the valleys that lead to the coast in great volume, and the people are fleeing to the coast towns in terror. Lava from Mount Biliu has separated into two streams and in the path of one of the other of these streams lie the towns of Santiago, Tamalme, Tanque and Chasna. Earthquake shocks are almost continuous. From Santa Cruz, the principal port, comes word that the entire island is threatened.

LOST HIS MEMORY

Boy Was Kidnapped From His Home in Lynn

LYNN, Nov. 30.—Clouds of forgetfulness still hover in the mind of Joseph Bekovitch, 14, of 112 Wyman street, who was kidnapped for the second time in his life on Saturday, Oct. 30, by two men, who kept him until last Friday, when he escaped and returned home.

The police, in an effort to trace the kidnappers, find that the boy has experienced almost an utter lapse of memory.

Beyond the fact that he was for two weeks a prisoner in a deserted house on the outskirts of Boston and but half fed and partly unconscious for four weeks, the boy can remember nothing that would help the police.

The young man when he found his way back home last Friday night was so weakened that he could scarcely talk. Since then he has been able to give only the barest details of his experience.

Bekovitch disappeared on Saturday, Oct. 30. When he failed to return to his father's home in the evening a search was instituted, but until he returned home last Friday night no trace of him could be found.

His own explanation is that on Saturday noon, the day he disappeared, he received his pay and started home, when he met two strange men on the street. One asked him his name and then said: "If you will come with me, I will see that you get a better job at a higher salary."

The young man joined the men and they took a car. His story from that time is incomplete except that the young man declares that the men took him in the general direction of Boston, but that they were on the outskirts. He was taken into a house and locked in a room.

At frequent intervals the boy heard the two men talking about money matters. They swore repeatedly, and a few days before the young man made his escape one of the men said that the money was not forthcoming.

Last Friday afternoon, according to the boy's story, while his two captors were asleep, he made his escape by jumping out of window on the second floor of a house.

He began running in the direction he

EAGLES, NOTICE!

Members of Lowell Eagle No. 233 are requested to be present at the home of our late brother, Patrick W. Cox, 31 Perth street, this evening at 8 o'clock when the exercises of our order will be held. Per order, JAMES F. MORRISON, W. Pres. JOHN M. HOGAN, Secretary.

GALVANIZED IRON PAIR

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63 MARKET STREET

DIED ON ISLAND

Charles Conway Succumbed to Exposure

Charles Conway, aged 52 years, and John Cosgrove went boat riding on the Shawheen river late Saturday night after an evening in Lowell, and Conway's dead body was found on a small island in the river on Sunday morning, while Cosgrove is at his home in East Tewksbury in a critical condition as the result of exposure.

The news of the finding of the body, probably on account of the condition of Cosgrove, did not become generally known until yesterday afternoon, when Undertaker Frank Farmer removed it to the morgue.

As far as can be learned the two men who were employed on the farm of Wallace Burt in East Tewksbury came to Lowell and spent the evening here leaving the city about 10.30 o'clock. Upon arriving in Tewksbury they decided to take a boat ride on the Shaw-

sheen river. On the farm of Grosvener Clark they found a frail skiff and started off in it. They had not gone far when Conway fell overboard. Cosgrove, however, succeeded in getting him back into the boat and he then rowed to a little island where they got out and Cosgrove lit a fire. Conway was thoroughly chilled, but assured his companion that he would be all right in a short time. Both sat around the fire and soon fell asleep, and Cosgrove did not awaken until 10 o'clock Sunday morning. He attempted to arouse his companion, whom he believed to be sleeping, and after several unsuccessful attempts he attracted the attention of people in the vicinity, who went over to the island to find that Conway was dead. The body was then removed to the opposite shore, where it remained until the arrival of the undertaker. Although Conway died from exposure, the body was scorched in several places from contact with the fire. Cosgrove went to his home, where he is recovering.

Conway has relatives in St. John, N. B., Ballardvale and Somerville. The body is being held to await word from relatives.

Lowell, Tuesday, Nov. 30, 1909.

A. G. Pollard Co.

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The Book Store

Opens again more attractive to book buyers than ever before, for besides our usual far-the-largest-collection-in-this-section, the great values which we offer in editions de luxe of the best known authors are magnets which would draw any one with a book thought to our counters. You know we advise the Book purchases to be made early.

PALMER STREET

CENTRE AISLE

Our November Under-the-Regular Price Sale

In our Great Bargain Basement finishes today. We have given you for the four days some of the greatest values in our store history, and the sales sheets show us that you have taken good advantage of them. Today's offerings are wonderful in their worth.

Children's Winter Bonnets, nicely trimmed, 25c to 50c value.

November Sale Only 15c Each

Ladies' Neckwear—Jackets, Stocks and Dutch Collars, 15c and 25c quality.

November Sale 5c Each

Ladies' Trimmed Hats, 50c and \$1.00 value.

November Sale 10c Each

Children's Trimmed Hats, 25c and 50c value.

November Sale 10c Each

Children's Rompers, made of good fine chambray gingham, 30c value.

November Sale 19c

Corset Cover Embroideries, good, fine quality, 18 inches wide, 25c value.

November Sale Only 12 1-2c Yard

Ladies' Handkerchiefs, plain and fancy, 5c value.

November Sale Only 3c-Each

Best Cretonne in remnants, fancy weaves, all new colorings and a good assortment of patterns, 12 1-2c value.

November Sale Only 8c Yard

Wool Suiting, 27 inches wide, heavy material for winter coats, suits and pants, 30c value.

November Sale 15c Yard

Very fine Percale, light and dark colors, fine quality, 30 inches wide, 10c value.

November Sale Only 6 1-4c Yard

40 inch fine white Lawn for aprons, etc., 10c value.

November Sale 7c Yard

Yard wide Art Satin, very handsome designs, 12 1-2c value.

November Sale Only 8c Yard

Yard wide Percale, light and dark percale, very fine quality, fast colors for house dresses and wrappers, 10c value.

November Sale Only 6 1-2c Yard

Diaper Cloth, nice soft quality remnants, of best quality, in bundles of 5 yards, for 20c a Bundle

Yard wide heavy plain Outing Flannel, gray, pink and blue, regular value 12 1-2c.

November Sale 8 1-2c Yard

Yard wide Bleached Twill Flannel, good thick quality, 12 1-2c value.

November Sale Only 10c Yard

25c fine Victoria and India Lawn, nice and fine quality.

November Sale Only 17c Yard

Best quality of Outing Flannel, light and dark, in full pieces, 12 1-2c value.

November Sale Only 8c Yard

In Our Under Price Men's Furnishing Dept.

10 dozen Boys' Overalls, made of blue denim and khaki, odd sizes, 25c value.

November Sale Only 15c Pair

Men's Police and Firemen's Braces, made of strong elastic web with solid leather end and cast off, 25c value.

November Sale 15c a Pair

Men's Braces, made of fine lisle web, leather end, 25c value.

November Sale 20c Pair

Men's Fine Cashmere Hose, black oxford, brown and light gray, 25c value.

November Sale 15c Pair

Men's Heavy Ribbed Blue Hose, good, strong quality, 25c value.

November Sale 12 1-2c Pair

Heavy Black and Tan Cotton Hose, 12 1-2c value.

November Sale 7 1-2c Pair

Men's Neglige Shirts, made of good printed chevrons in light colors, all new patterns, 50c value.

November Sale 29c

Men's Overalls and Jumpers, made of good heavy material and well made, odd sizes, to close at only 25c Each

All the Odd Lots of Goods previously advertised for this sale will be closed out at Bargain Prices Today.

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The sworn daily average circulation of The Lowell Sun for the year 1908 was

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Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman, of The Sun, before me, January 1, 1909. J. JOSEPH HENNESSY, Notary Public.

This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

THE PROBATION OFFICER'S WORK

The showing made by Probation Officer Slattery in his report for the year gives some indication of the vast amount of good he is doing in his work to reform the people committed to his care on account of drunkenness or other offences.

Mr. Slattery has always entered into his work with a great deal of earnestness, and through his appeals for reform many hundreds have returned to the path of honor, decency and rectitude. Mr. Slattery has our congratulations on the success of his work.

WHEN ROOSEVELT RETURNS.

The country has been somewhat lonely since ex-President Roosevelt started for Africa. The people have missed his long-winded discussions on trusts and other things; how the former could be divided into good and bad, and the latter so far as they operate for evil attributed to the democratic party.

Roosevelt has had a unique experience since he left the United States, and no doubt when he returns he will be Africanized to the extent that he will not go into mourning if he finds "his policies dead and buried." They are at present in a fit condition to be submitted to the taxidermist so that they can be preserved in a museum with the animal curiosities he brings from Africa.

MEEHAN A MAN FOR WHOM ALL CAN VOTE.

There is no reason why any citizen of Lowell should not vote for John F. Meehan for mayor. It is true he is the democratic nominee, but he declares himself, first and foremost, for good government for all the people. If republicans want such government, here is their chance to bring about the change. In all his public and private utterances in his legislative record, as well as in his ante-caucus campaign, Mr. Meehan seemed to put "duty" above all else, and already he has so far expressed his intention as to say that his chief duty, if elected mayor, will be to give the people better municipal government than they now have. Hence it is, that the election of Mr. Meehan is likely to bring about some of the most important changes the people have sought for many years in the administration of affairs at city hall.

LOWELL SHOULD WAKE UP.

The city of Lawrence is to have another great woolen mill. How is it that we cannot induce the American Woolen company to locate some of its big mills in Lowell? Is it because the cotton mills control the best sites and practically the entire water power?

By the way, has any official of our city or any public body approached the American Woolen company on this point? During the past year we have given our attention mainly to running political wind mills which bring very poor returns to the people.

Lawrence is now experiencing a boom that may soon bring her up to the status of Lowell, with industries more stable and more prosperous.

Is it not time for Lowell to wake up and give her attention to something more substantial and more essential to her welfare than the empty political bugaboos with which she has been engaged during the past year?

TO AVERT A TARIFF WAR.

Congressman Mann, from Illinois, purposes at the coming session of congress to introduce a bill to amend the present tariff law so as to avert a tariff war with Canada.

It remains to be seen whether Speaker Cannon will throw the bill in the waste basket or whether the standpatters will contrive to defeat the measure in the interest of the trusts.

Mr. Mann's bills are aimed mainly at the paper and wood pulp schedules. This reopening of the tariff discussion will give the insurgent republicans an opportunity to expose the injustice of the law and the unprincipled course by which it was forced through congress.

The democrats will naturally welcome the opportunity to join hands with the "insurgents" on this matter and thus, whether successful or not, pave the way for victorious elections next fall.

The speaker, however, will endeavor to buy off certain democrats by concessions, but the man who thus sells out to the republican czar will have to answer to his constituents for his recreancy.

FOR EARLY CHRISTMAS SHOPPING.

Perhaps it is not too early to suggest the advisability of early Christmas shopping. To be sure there are other events on the tapis in the meantime, and among them are the raising of a big Y. M. C. A. campaign fund, the election of a democratic mayor and a few other things of lesser importance.

But in spite of all these let the young man who intends to purchase a present for his best girl, get a line on what she would like and if at all compatible with the resources of his pocketbook, buy the present now.

To the girls who have to make a variety of presents, let us say that it is a good plan to get a piece of paper, jot down the names of the people to whom you are to give presents with the article in each case, and if these be not perishable, purchase now. Early shopping will benefit not only yourself but the girl or the young man behind the counter.

There are people who can never make up their minds what they are going to buy or to whom they will give presents until the last day, and then when they go the rounds of the stores, they find that they cannot get what they want and they have to buy something they don't want.

Why not adopt the habit of doing your Christmas shopping early? It ensures satisfaction for yourself and the recipient of the gift, while it will help to relieve the store clerks of the overwhelming rush in which they are overworked so that for them Christmas brings only fatigue and disappointment.

SEEN AND HEARD

These are the days of turkey hash and turkey soup.

You can save a lot of time by being sure where you want to go before starting.

The first time a girl is disappointed in love, she imagines she has nothing left to live for.

A woman's idea of a tactful man is one who is able to increase the admiration she has for herself.

An office seeker's love for his country is a good deal like that of a titled foreigner for an American heiress.

You can tell a man who has a good opinion of himself by the way he has a poor opinion of others.

A woman who runs a house filled with a big family earns a lot of money, but she never gets it.

A woman wants to get into society so she can pretend she was always there.

The average man thinks a lachey is more important than the Ten Commandments.

The farther a man can travel away from his family the more they can fool themselves about how homesick he is.

Evil doesn't have to carry any insurance on itself for it can come out of fire, famine and plague stronger than it went in.

GETTING THE NEWS

How went the game, old friend? It seems.

I'm sadly out of plumb; I've just waked up from other dreams. My brain is rather numb.

I know my mind is somewhat weak. My body is the same.

'Tis quite a task for me to speak. But, say, how went the game?

I know they walked upon my face 'Till 'tis badly hacked.

My neck's completely out of place. And fourteen ribs are cracked;

I know their fullback broke my nose. I can't recall his name!

I'm sure that eye I gave him shows. And, say, how went the game?

Oh, let me hear the story now; Speak up, I pray your friend.

Just sit you down and tell me how We played it at the end.

We won! That works a wondrous spell. Though I am sick and lame,

I'll have no trouble getting well. Since we have won the game!

Chicago News.

A writer who says he has seen frequent mention in the papers recently of the disease known as Pellagra, wants to know the nature of it.

Pellagra is a disease said to be caused by a germ found in corn that has been stored long enough to develop a mould. The disease is said to be prevalent in southern Europe, but recently has been discovered in this country.

The hookworm, found in certain sections of the south, is said to be the cause of a disease one of whose symptoms is profound laziness. Dr. Stiles, who discovered the worm, says that persons who go barefooted in a great deal may become infected with the worm through the soles of the feet. The worms "congregate in the intestines and, besides being lazy, the sufferers are unattractively hungry. The hookworm is believed to be the cause of the clay eating habit among the poorer classes in the south. The remedy is found in the use of one of the salts and a germicide.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

With more than 1500 "Dekes" in attendance, the largest college fraternity dinner ever held will be given Saturday, Dec. 18, at the Hotel Astor by his brothers in Delta Kappa Epsilon. A Barton Stephens will preside. The dinner is in charge of the following committee: James W. Curtis (Yale), chairman; Allan B. Bradley (Dartmouth), William Clifford Moore (Yale), Scott Stewart (Western Reserve), George R. Walker (Bowling Green).

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John T. Conover (Columbia), treasurer, and James Anderson Hawes (Yale), secretary, of 30 Broad street, New York.

It is probable that the late E. H. Harriman disposed of more money in fewer words than any man ever did before, but there have been some short wills in England. Lord Mansfield took half a sheet of note paper to dispose of his large fortune, and Sir James Stephen used just 13 words in his will. Lord Russell left \$1,000,000 with a dozen lines, and Lord Brampton disposed of much more with 400 words.

Kohler, Cleveland's famous "golden rule" police chief, has set out on a new crusade, and for once he has all the Cleveland papers on his side. He has declared war on "gun toters," and, as the Plain Dealer says, "even the Golden Rule apparently recognizes the danger of permitting armed men to roam at large, and suspends its mercy in the interest of justice."

Captain Grant Marsh, who brought the news of Custer's destruction to the outer world by the steamer Far West, which played so important a part in the Little Horn campaign, is the living hero of "The Conquest of the Missouri," by Joseph Mills Hanson, which A. C. McClurg & Co. publish. Captain Marsh left shipped on a Missouri packet in 1864, and still piles on the river. From the earliest western migrations through the Montana gold rushes, and the Sioux wars, he was in the forefront of the white advance over the Missouri's wild territory. The services he rendered to the United States government in its various campaigns were notable, and with his other exploits has enabled his biographer to write a book that combines the authority, accuracy, and fullness of a history of America's most important internal advance with the adventurous story of a brave man's career on the old-time river rackets.

To offset the experiences of Federal Judge Landis, who refused to issue papers of naturalization to Heinrich Werle in Chicago, because the applicant, despite his thirteen years residence in the United States, did not know what the word congress stood for and had never heard of a

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NIGHT EDITION

FOR SUPPLY CHIEF

Foye Has Support of Defeated Candidates

That the democratic candidates for purchasing agent have no sores as the result of the caucuses is evidenced by the following letters which are self-explanatory:

McElholm to Foye
Lowell, Mass., Nov. 26, 1909.

Mr. Edward H. Foye,
Lowell, Mass.

Dear Mr. Foye:

Accept my heartfelt congratulations on your splendid victory at the caucuses on Tuesday. I assure you that the good feeling which existed during the campaign for the nomination is still the same and you may count on my support in the coming election.

With the very best wishes for your success on election day, I am,
Very sincerely yours,
Wm. H. McElholm.

Mr. Foye's Reply
Lowell, Nov. 27.

My Dear William:

Your letter of congratulation at hand—with expressions of assurance

for my success—for which I am grateful. Thanking you I am sincerely,
Edward H. Foye.

Fitzgerald to Foye
Lowell, Nov. 28, '09.

Friend Ed:

While I feel there is no need of writing to you inasmuch as we all agreed to support the candidate who won, I wish to convey my congratulations and to assure you that I will do all I can to help elect you. Wishing you success, I am

Sincerely yours,
Thomas J. Fitzgerald.

Mr. Foye's Reply
Lowell, Nov. 29.

Friend Thomas:

Thanks for your kind letter of congratulations. It pleases me more than a little to observe the splendid sincerity manifested by both yourself and Mr. McElholm for my success.

Sincerely,
Edward H. Foye.

As far as can be learned Mr. Mackenzie has received no congratulations from the 700 or more blanks cast for purchasing agent at the caucuses.

STRIKE ORDER ISSUED

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 30.—According to President Hawley of the Switchmen's union, a strike order to all railroads from Lake Superior to the Pacific coast has been issued to take effect at six o'clock this evening unless countermanded before that time.

VOTES RECOUNTED

Work Completed by the Registrars This Noon

The recount of democratic ballots cast in the recent primaries for mayor, aldermen, etc., was concluded about 1 o'clock today. The result of the recount for mayor was the most important. It was asked for by Mr. O'Donnell. On the face of the original returns Mr. Crowley had a lead of 4 votes over Mr. O'Donnell and the recount gives Mr. Crowley a lead of 32 votes. The result of the recount, losses and gains, was as follows: For mayor—Crowley gained 3, O'Donnell lost 25, Daley gained 1, Maloney gained 6, and Meehan remained the same.

There were several changes in the count for aldermen but not of sufficient importance to affect their standings.

There was no change in the ward four school committee.

Ward five city committee: John McCullough, Christopher J. Hagan and William H. Conway, who were elected under the original returns, were counted out by the board of registrars, and Augustus P. Slattery, John C. Martin, Jr., and John L. Gleason were counted in.

The gains and losses were as follows: Losses—Conley 1, Mulligan 3, Carr 1, Sullivan 1.

Gains—McCullough 2, McCrann 3, Gahagan 2, Hall 3, Martin 6, Gleason 8, Guthrie 3, McKamara 3, Hagan 1, Welch 3, Conway 2, Muldoon 1, Slattery 20.

SCENE OF CRIME LABOR LEADERS

Was Visited by the Harmon Jury

CAMBRIDGE, Nov. 30.—The jury completed late yesterday to try James H. Harmon, Jr., of Somerville for the murder of Maud Hartley in this city last December. Today was taken to the scene of the crime. The trip was made in a special trolley car.

David P. Maloney, son of Police Officer Maloney, has entered Villanova college.

Could Hardly Hear

Senses of Taste and Smell were Also Greatly Impaired

"I was afflicted with catarrh," writes Eugene Forbes, Lebanon, Kansas. "I took several different medicines, giving each a fair trial, but knew worse until I was about to give up in despair, but concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. After taking three bottles of this medicine I was cured, but decided to take two more, and have not had any return of the disease."

Hood's Sarsaparilla effects radical and permanent cures of catarrh. Get it today. In usual liquid form or tablets called Sarsatabs. 100 doses \$1.00.

DAVID REMINGTON TO RETIRE

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—The familiar figure of David Remington of Somerville, sergeant at arms of the Massachusetts legislature, will not be seen at the state house after the first of the new year. Mr. Remington announced today in letters to Gov. Draper, President Trevelyan of the senate and Speaker Walker of the house of representatives, that he decided not to be a candidate again for the position which he has held for the past six years. Ill-health is the reason for his withdrawal. It is expected that Mr. Remington's successor will be Thomas Pedrick of Lynn, who for several years has been doorkeeper of the house.

EVENING SCHOOL

Several Teachers Have Been Dropped

The evening school attendance continues to shrink. Five teachers were dismissed last week and others will be dismissed this week or next. It will be remembered that the attendance at the beginning of the year, in the elementary evening schools, was 250 or 300 below last year and this was due to the enactment of a new law which went into effect the first of the present year.

Heretofore it was compulsory for those who could not read or write to attend the evening school and the age limit was set at 21. The new law sets the age limit at 18 and now the illiterate who is 18 years or over and who does not care to learn to read or write is free to stay away from evening school. The new law is not a very popular one, especially in mill cities.

The attendance at the evening high school started out stronger this year than last and the attendance is holding out well. The evening drawing school too is being well attended and the work that is being done there, especially in the art department, is productive of many favorable comments. The variety of the work being done there is almost astonishing.

BUCKLEY LOST

BY A SCORE OF 75 TO 25 LAST EVENING

One of the most interesting pool matches of the season was held last night in the rooms of the Lowell Millitary band. James Buckley, the champion, lost his title when Louis Weller defeated him by a great margin. The game was a long one and many difficult shots were made by both men. Although Buckley has defeated everybody he has played, in all down hard and the score was 75 to 25. Weller is now the champion and another game will be played next week. B. Buckley was the first to be served and Robert Stately spoke on "Spiritualism." John Green was score keeper as in all previous games. B. Buckley was the first to be had an off night, but the crowd greeted the new champion with great cheers. There were about 200 present to witness the game.

REDUCED IN RANK

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—As a result of an investigation of shortages from wine casks and other packages at the Baltimore customs house, a shake-up in that end of the service was announced today. The treasury department approved the reduction of John B. Montgomery, superintendent of the bonded warehouses to a clerkship. Thomas R. Arnold, a clerk of customs, is promoted to succeed Montgomery, and some other changes are made.

BATTLESHIPS DEPART

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Departure of the battleship detachment which had been in the Brooklyn navy yard since the Hudson-Pulitzer celebration continued today. The battleship Connecticut cleared the harbor in the early afternoon followed soon after by the Nebraska. The gunboat Yankton was another departing war craft. The vessels are bound for the fleet rendezvous at Hampton Roads.

GONE TO HAMPTON ROADS

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 30.—The battleships Kansas and Georgia left the navy yard today for Hampton Roads, where they will join the other ships of the Atlantic fleet for the winter maneuvers in southern waters. Rear Admiral Edwin Wright, who will be aide for the operations of the fleet under the new order of things to be put in force in the navy tomorrow, is on board the Georgia.

TO LEAVE CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND, Nov. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. John D. Rockefeller will leave Cleveland for New York late this afternoon. They will spend the early winter at their city residence in New York.

DON'T GRUNT DO YOUR STUNT

Help Keep the Clock Hands Moving

The Lowell Electric Light Corp.
50 Central St.

Mechanics Savings Bank
Quarter Day
Saturday, Dec. 4

Y.M.C.A. CAMPAIGN A UNITED PARTY

Fund for the New Building is Growing Rapidly

Subscriptions Are Beyond the Expectations of the Promoters—Generous Offer Made by Mr. Shedd—One Half the Amount Needed Has Been Raised Already

The Y. M. C. A. building fund has reached and gone beyond the \$75,000 mark, and the long hand on the big clock is making rapid strides toward its destination. The total as announced today is \$75,068, and that is supplemented by the following letter from Mr. P. B. Shedd:

When the hand points to ninety-five advance it to one hundred, with my subscription of five thousand.

This generous offering on the part of Mr. Shedd met with rounds of applause.

The status of the fund after the reports were received at headquarters today is indicated by the following tabulation:

Official total Monday.....\$69,145
Citizens' Committee.....5,135
Business Men's Committee.....3,696
Young Men's Committee.....1,032
Grand total.....\$79,068

The following figures indicate the amounts reported by the teams of the three committees through their captains:

Citizens' Committee, Frederick A. Flather, chairman:
Team No. 01—C. A. Brown, capt.
Team No. 02—F. C. Church, capt. 175
Team No. 03—F. E. Dunbar, capt. 1,661
Team No. 04—A. L. Gray, capt. 505
Team No. 05—J. A. Hunnewell, c. 1,005
Team No. 06—N. G. Norcross, capt. 408
Team No. 07—J. H. Pickman, capt. 208
Team No. 08—C. B. Redway, capt. 300
Team No. 09—J. A. Stevens, capt. 242
Team No. 10—B. H. Wiggin, capt. 705

Business Men's Committee, Samuel H. Thompson, chairman:

Team No. 1—P. E. Chaffoux, Capt. 100
Team No. 2—S. E. Qua, Capt. 257
Team No. 3—J. P. Ramsay, Capt. 431
Team No. 4—R. P. Marden, Capt. 403
Team No. 5—C. F. Fleming, Capt. 133
Team No. 6—W. H. G. Wright, Capt. 145
Team No. 7—G. H. Taylor, Capt. 215
Team No. 8—A. E. Hatch, Capt. 340
Team No. 9—A. F. Swanton, Capt. 170
Team No. 10—Walter Booth, Capt. 170

Total.....\$3,695

Young Men's Committee, Walter H. Hoyt, chairman:

Team A—Murray Pratt, Capt. 122
Team B—G. W. Barris, Capt. 205
Team C—A. G. Cheney, Capt. 50
Team D—H. Stanley Cryser, Capt. 125
Team E—Theodore Pearson, Capt. 32
Team F—Lester Fleming, Capt. 74
Team G—Charles Graham, Capt. 185
Team H—Fred Howard, Capt. 85
Team I—Allan Knapp, Capt. 50
Team J—F. L. Kraper, Capt. 50

Totals.....\$10,332

The following subscriptions of \$500 and over were announced, and are included in the above total:

Friend.....\$1,000
Mrs. T. C. Entwistle.....1,000
John J. Connel.....500
Jesse H. Shepard.....500
Pratt & Forrest.....500
Bright, Sears & Co.....500

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Referring to our conversation with you last week, in regard to the Young Men's Christian association, we should be very glad to subscribe \$500 to the fund.

As we understood that Mr. Charles N. Woodward, manager of our Lowell office, is one of the committee, if you have no objection, we should prefer to have the subscription come through his committee.

Wishing you the best of success in the undertaking, and with kind regards, we beg to remain,
Yours truly,

Bright, Sears & Co.

Probation Officer Slattery

Probation Officer Edward F. Slattery addressed the campaigners at the noon meeting. He said in part:

"Mr. President and Gentlemen: I am glad to see so many here of my own age. This is an occasion where we certainly are all young men, regardless of age. I was really some-



CHARLES S. WARD
The Great Y. M. C. A. Building Fund Promoter

gether with other organizations has been taking care of the young men of this city, and I don't know of any other feature so grand, and so noble in helping it as this movement of the Y. M. C. A. I tell you, gentlemen, it is God's work. It is a noble work and time and time again have we needed your aid and assistance. What an adjunct to the temperance sentiment of Lowell will this great Y. M. C. A. be! It will be immeasurable! You can't imagine what it will be. And I hope God will bless you in your work and give us the institution that is so sadly needed here in Lowell for the young men, yes and the old men too. It reminds me of a story. An Irishman was asked one day what part of the old country he came from. He said, "Don't be talking about that. There is no more north, nor east, nor west part of Ireland. We're all one and it is Ireland." We are not Yankees, we are not French, we are not English. We are citizens of Lowell, American citizens, and that is why we want this right here. For seventeen years in charge of the reading room and ten years over yonder, some work certainly has been done to the young men and for the young man, without this great adjunct which will be so strong. It has helped in the past. And willingly have we received the aid and the assistance of the members of the Y. M. C. A. I remember thirty years ago in Ayer's, when I was assistant foreman with Theodore Adams we got into a controversy and dispute about Methodists, Unitarians, Universalists, and Baptists. They were all dead on Catholicism. If you erect this building it will be a monument to the city of Lowell. We are many thousands strong and we love our city, one of the best today in the United States in proportion to its population. All I can do and say will be done. I know the time is short and I have spoken too long now, but I am glad to meet you and I wish good luck and God's speed to this movement for a new Y. M. C. A. building."

Charles S. Ward

Charles S. Ward, international secre-

Stands Behind Mr. Meehan, Candidate for Mayor

Hon. James B. Casey Urges All His Friends to Support the Democratic Candidate and Will Tender His Services on the Stump

If any doubt had existed as to whether the democratic party is united in this campaign for mayor or not it should be removed by the interview printed below which a reporter of The Sun had with Hon. James B. Casey, this morning, at the office of the Ideal Comb company in Ayer City.

Since the caucuses the supporters of the republican candidate have been shouting that the democrats were not united and that Mr. Casey and his friends would not support Mr. Meehan. Believing that the best way to put an end to such talk was to interview Mr. Casey himself a reporter of The Sun asked the former mayor this morning what his attitude was in the coming campaign.

The ex-mayor's answer was both prompt and frank and was as follows:

There is only one attitude that I will assume in this campaign, and that is to accord to the democratic candidate for mayor my earnest and loyal support, with the hope that he will be successful at the polls election day.

I recognize that whatever political success I have achieved in this city, the foundation for such success was laid by the democratic party, and therefore, I shall always feel obligated to support its nominee for mayor, whoever he may be.

It is essential that the party be united in order to win a victory. It is useless to deny the fact that such a condition has not existed in the past, and the opposition has profited thereby.

That the opposition hopes to do so this year is already common talk. It is true that I have been honored with representing a majority of the democratic party upon more than one occasion in the past.

It is equally true that a minority element in the party after participating in the primaries has failed to accept in the right spirit, the choice of a no uncertain majority.

If the party is to be united this year, its unity is dependent upon that majority element of the party which has supported me in previous campaigns and not the minority.

I, therefore, urge every man and friend of mine who has loyally supported me in other campaigns to do the same for Mr. Meehan's candidacy this year. They will feel the better for it, after they have deposited their ballot, for there is a contentment of mind and a clearer conscience for the man who so acts. To do otherwise will serve no good purpose and permit the retention in office of a chief executive whose administrative acts should have disillusioned the public by this time.

In further reply to your question as to my attitude, I will say that if the party candidates feel that I can be of any assistance upon the stump I am at their service, and I sincerely hope that Mr. Meehan will be the next mayor of Lowell.

EIGHT MEN IMPRISONED

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 30.—Eight men were imprisoned in a cave-in and fire today in one of the several copper mines of the Tennessee Copper Co. at Copper Hill, Tenn. Oxygen supplies and other mine rescue paraphernalia were sent from here to the mine by special train. The fire is under control and the imprisoned men are thought to be alive.

tary of the Y. M. C. A. has raised \$10,000,000 and built 40 new buildings, inspiring thousands of workers with enthusiasm while he was doing it. It was he who put through the Boston campaign for \$500,000 with such success a few weeks ago.

Candidate Meehan at Headquarters

Mr. John F. Meehan, democratic candidate for mayor, was one of the attendants at the lunch at the Y. M. C. A. headquarters this noon and received an unexpected reception. Mr. Meehan had not the enthusiasm and went up as an individual to partake of the noonday lunch. He had hardly entered the hall when he was recognized by those who were personally acquainted and was at once introduced all around. The cordial greeting given him was entirely unexpected and hence all the more pleasing to the recipient.

Y. M. C. A. Subscription Card

For the purpose of erecting a building for the Lowell Young Men's Christian association and in consideration of the subscription of others, I promise to pay to the treasurer of the Lowell Young Men's Christian association building fund,

Payable as follows: One-fourth Jan. 1st, 1910; one-fourth July 1st, 1910; one-fourth Jan. 1st, 1911; one-fourth July 1st, 1911.

Signed..... Dollars.

Or will pay in full on.....

Contributors to the Y. M. C. A. fund may have practically all years in which to pay the pledge. As indicated above, the payments may be made quarterly at intervals of six months, the first not being due until next January. Or they can be made when convenient within the time limit.

Archbishop Ireland's Letter

The presiding chairman, Mr. Flather, read the following letter at the luncheon today. It was from Archbishop Ireland of St. Paul, and addressed to Mr. Arthur B. Driscoll, president of the St. Paul's Young Men's Christian association.

"I beg leave to offer a subscription of \$250.00 in favor of the Young Men's Christian association of St. Paul.

The Young Men's Christian association in its labors in St. Paul, so far as my observation permit me to judge, has devoted itself of sectarian purposes and color, and I am assured by some of the leading members of the association that it is its firm intention to continue on these lines.

On the other hand, its social and

Make Us Prove It

Eyes examined, Glasses furnished, Cuswell Optical Co., 11 Bridge st.

INDEPENDENCE FOR PHILIPPINES

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Independence for the Philippines and Porto Rico was the principle so affirmed by the Anti-imperialist league at its 11th annual meeting held here. Both President Theodore Roosevelt and Secretary William Taft have been leaders in the movement since its inception at the close of the Spanish-American war and who were re-elected today declared that the league should devote every possible effort to resist the establishment of a colonial department, and urged the Philippines to persist in demanding independence by preserving order and showing their fitness for self government.

Among the vice presidents elected today were Andrew Carnegie, Samuel L. Clemens, William D. Howells, Lieut. General Miles and Miss Jane Adams.

THE COPLEY MEDAL

LONDON, Nov. 30.—American Ambassador Reid today accepted on behalf of the recipient the Copley medal awarded by the Royal Society to George W. Hill, the astronomer and author of West Nyack, N. Y., in recognition of his work in mathematical astronomy.

6 O'CLOCK

THE MEDICAL CASE

For Alleged Larceny of Medicine Before Police Court

The case of Paul R. Fiedler, of Methuen, charged with the larceny of 432 bottles of Matthews' Syrup of Tar and Cod Liver Oil from Joseph Routhier and Adolph Delisle, of the Lowell pharmacy, which was opened on Wednesday of last week, came up on continuance this morning in the police court.

According to the complaint it is alleged that the defendant entered into a transaction whereby he was to give them Gauvin's syrup in exchange for Matthews' syrup. The druggists claim that they carried out their part of the bargain, but that the defendant instead of giving them Gauvin's gave them a substitute. The alleged substitution was not known to Messrs. Routhier and Delisle until Mr. J. A. E. Gauvin, the manufacturer of the original syrup, called their attention to the fact. Mr. Gauvin is the complainant in the case.

Messrs. A. O. Hamel and William H. Bent appeared for the government and the defendant was represented by Lawyer W. J. Bradley of Lawrence.

Contention of Counsel

Before any witnesses had been called Lawyer Bradley stated to the court that he had tried to have the counsel for the commonwealth state the specific act that the commonwealth intended to rely upon, but that the request had not been granted. Mr. Bradley then filed a motion with the court, which requested that the specific date be made known to him.

Lawyer Bent argued that it would be impossible to specify the date and amount of syrup taken. He said that he felt that all he was required to show was the time when the general agreement was made.

According to the complaint it is alleged that Fiedler and Routhier & Delisle entered into an agreement whereby the former was to supply the firm with Gauvin's Syrup and Routhier & Delisle were to give him Matthews' Syrup. It is further alleged that while the agreement was made at one time, it was in varying quantities. Referring to the complaint Lawyer Bradley said that he felt that he was entitled to know the dates of the alleged "from time to time" transactions.

Lawyer Bent insisted that it would be almost impossible to give the different dates on which the transactions were made, and all that was necessary was to stipulate the date of the first transaction.

Mr. Bradley said that there was no criminal act committed until the goods were delivered on agreement.

Judge Hadley stated that he would rule that each delivery constituted a separate and distinct offense, but, as the complaint included but one count, that the government should indicate the particular occasion when the offense was committed.

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HIS CHILD WIFE

Had Young Man in Court for Neglect

JUDGE HADLEY CALLED THEM CHILDREN

And Appealed to Officer Slattery to See If He Could Do Something to Harmonize Matters

"Here's a couple of children who went away and got married; see what you can do for them," said Judge Hadley to Probation Officer Slattery in police court this morning when he turned Arthur Desrosiers and the latter's wife, Gertrude, over to the man who is generally called upon to settle the majority of marital troubles that come before the local court.

The young couple are just out of their teens and have been married less than seven months, but the wife complained that the husband did nothing towards supporting her and as a last resort she had to apply to the court for a warrant for his arrest.

Mrs. Desrosiers said that her husband never gave her any money, but a little later said, "He did give me ten cents on one occasion." Continuing, she said: "He has been getting \$2 a day and after we got married he had a store book, but after having it for about a month and refusing to pay the man, even though he had the money in his pocket, the book was taken away from him and he was refused credit."

"On Saturday and Sunday I have had something to eat, but it was a case of starve during the remainder of the week. When I complained to him of being cold, there being no wood or coal in the house, he has told me that if I wished to keep warm that I could stay in bed."

Probation Officer Slattery, after giving the boyish husband a little sound advice, gave him a chance to do better, but in the event of not doing so Desrosiers was given to understand that he would find himself in jail.

A Wayward Man

Cornelius J. Donovan admitted that he was drunk when arrested yesterday. Patrolman Alexander McElenghery informed the court that he had seen the young man drunk two and three times a week for some time past, and furthermore that when he was under the influence of liquor he went home and abused the members of the household and that his folks were anxious that he be sent away until he will be able to do better. He was given a sentence to the Massachusetts reformatory.

Other Offenders

Edward Morris, charged with drunkenness, was sent to jail until Saturday morning in order that he might get time to think it over.

John E. Bulmer said he wasn't drunk. Supt. Welch said John was a parolee, and Judge Hadley said continue the case until tomorrow, which means that this afternoon Bulmer will be on his way back to Bridgewater.

Michael Sullivan and Alexander Savignac, drunks, were each fined \$5.

CHARLES S. SMITH DEAD

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Charles S. Smith, one of the last of the old line merchant princes who laid the foundations of the fortunes before the Civil war, died at his home today of pleurisy. He was 77 years old. Mr. Smith was born in Exeter, N. H., and began his business as a boy of 15 in a wholesale dry goods house. He retired from active business in 1887, but remained a director of the Fifth Avenue bank of New York, of which he was one of the founders, the Fourth National, the Merchants National and the Greenwich Savings bank, and a member of the executive of the chamber of commerce.

CITY CONTRACTS

AWARDED AT THE PURCHASING AGENT'S OFFICE

The following contracts have been awarded at the office of the purchasing agent: For health department, 500 bushels of oats, Wilder & Wotton; barrel of turpentine for school department, Adams Hardware company; barrel lined oil for school department, John C. Bennett; ten barrels of sugar for the city farm, Caleb Smith. Contracts for three cars of hay for the fire department and twenty-five cords of wood for the wood yard have not been decided yet.

FUNERAL NOTICES

KEEFE—The funeral of Mrs. Ellen M. Tomlinson Keefe will take place Thursday morning from the home of her mother, 5 Madison place, at 5.30 o'clock. High mass of requiem at St. Peter's at 9 o'clock. Funeral in charge of John F. Rogers.

RYAN—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Ryan will take place Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, No. 79 Westford street. A solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. J. F. O'Donnell & Sons, undertakers.

HENNESSEY—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Hennessey will take place Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, No. 10 By street, and at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church. Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

REDDY—The funeral of Thomas F. Reddy will take place Wednesday morning at 8.30 o'clock from his home, No. 69 Fifth street, and at 9.30 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church. Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

MALONEY—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Maloney will take place Wednesday morning at 8.30 o'clock from her home, No. 25 Clifford street, and at 10.15 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church. Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

REIGNER—Ald. Nov. 28th, in this city, Joseph C. Reigner, aged 64 years, at his late residence, 117 Grand street. He leaves his wife and three children, Emily, Joseph and Francis. The funeral will be held Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock from the residence of his wife, 117 Grand street. High mass of requiem will be celebrated at the church of Notre Dame in Lowell at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Joseph's cemetery under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey.

LIBBY—Ald. Nov. 28th, in this city, Mrs. Mary Libby, aged 66 years, at her home, 20 Hastings st. Funeral services will be held from the residence of Charles H. Libby, 831 Westford street, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited without further notice. Undertaker George W. Healey in charge.

GERMAN EMPEROR CITY SOLICITOR

Opened Reichstag With a Speech Says All Boarding Housekeepers Are Not Common Victuallers

BERLIN, Nov. 30.—Emperor William opened the reichstag today by personally reading the speech from the throne. The speech dealt largely with domestic legislation and contained the important announcement that the government had prepared a measure extending the sick benefit insurance to the working class, not heretofore protected, and creating a system of insurance for the dependent relatives of deceased workers.

One of the principal tasks of the government, the emperor said, was to fortify the financial position of the empire with the means provided by the finance bill of the last session and this task would be accomplished through

the appropriation bill for 1910.

"Our possessions over sea, in Africa and the South seas," said the emperor, "are developing well. The growth of their own incomes will relieve the empire considerably of colonial expenses. The increase in the working population in the wealth of the protected districts make reform in the legal system necessary."

Reference was made in the speech to the triple alliance. "I nourish with confidence," said his majesty, "the hope that the three allied empires will continue to act together, using their strength for the welfare of their peoples and the maintenance of peace."

The opening of the reichstag today was as brilliant as usual. None of the socialist members was present.

That all boarding house keepers are not common victuallers is the import of an opinion handed down by City Solicitor Duncan to the police board today. The opinion is as follows:

Office of City Solicitor.

Lowell, Mass., Nov. 29, 1909.

Board of Police, Lowell, Mass. Gentlemen—I have your letter of the 15th inst., containing several questions with regard to the construction of Section 1 of Chapter 103 of the Revised Laws, so far as it pertains to "common victuallers."

In order to "assume" to be a "common victualler" a person, it would appear, must hold himself out to the public as ready at all times to furnish food to strangers and travelers—to transient guests. One who does this cannot carry on his business without a license from the board of police or without actually being prepared to entertain such guests. All boarding house keepers are not "common victuallers," though some may be. It all depends upon the attitude they assume toward the public.

Many of them do not pretend to hold themselves out as ready at all times to furnish food to strangers and travelers, but reserve the right to serve only a limited number of persons or such persons as are agreeable to them and to

refuse board to all others. Neither do they furnish food to transient guests at all hours, but only at stated times. They make it plain to applicants that they have no desire to entertain people generally but only such persons as they themselves may select. An innkeeper or common victualler is bound to receive everybody who applies, if in a legal condition to be received, while a boarding-house keeper is not bound to receive an applicant except upon special contract and of course need not enter into such contract with any person who is in the slightest degree objectionable to him. He, therefore, in my opinion, does not come within the scope of or under the provisions of section 1 of chapter 103 of the Revised Laws.

The words "stranger" and "traveler" as used in this connection, may include a townsman and neighbor as well as a person who comes from a distance or from a foreign country. (Wallace v. Sohier, 35 Conn. 133-5.) Anyone who does not board regularly at a hotel or restaurant at a fixed price, but rather occupies the relation of guest, is a "stranger or traveler" within the meaning of the statute.

Respectfully submitted,
William W. Duncan,
City Solicitor.

GIVEN LIFE SENTENCES

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—A commutation of sentence from death to life imprisonment was the recommendation which the pardon committee of the executive council made today to Governor Draper in the cases of the two Chinamen, Warry Charles and Joe Guey, who were convicted with three others of murder in the first degree in connection with the Tong war in Chinatown, this city, in August, 1907. As the result of the death of four Chinamen in the shooting affray, ten Chinamen were tried for murder. One was released, one died during trial, three were granted new trials and three were executed as a result of the jury's verdict. Charles and Guey were reprieved pending investigation of the case by the pardon committee. Much evidence was offered at the hearing before that committee in support of allegations that the evidence at the trial was not trustworthy.

While the pardon committee was convinced of the unreliability of some of the evidence, it did not feel that it was sufficient to free the two Chinamen absolutely.

BATTERED BY SEAS

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 30.—Battered by mountainous seas in a northwest gale throughout last night, the German steamer Brewster, which struck on the inner diamond shoals Sunday night while bound from Kingston, Jamaica, to New York, had this morning changed her position to some extent. With the seas still breaking over her, making it impossible for wrecking expeditions to approach the stranded vessel, chances of saving the Brewster seemed early today to be growing less.

From the Hatteras shore the Brewster appeared full of water. The wrecking steamer Colley from Norfolk and the revenue cutter Onondaga were forced to shelter last night and were nowhere to be seen this morning.

SUDDEN DEATHS \$15,000 DAMAGE

May Have Been Due to Poisoning

THOMASTON, Me., Nov. 30.—The suspicion that two sudden deaths in this town may have been due to poisoning has led the authorities to begin a thorough investigation. The brain and stomach of Fremont Newbert, who died on Nov. 15, were sent today to Prof. Franklin C. Robinson of Bowdoin college for examination. Although Mr. Newbert has long been a sufferer from consumption and heart trouble, his death followed twenty minutes after he had been seized with convulsions. The attending physician, Dr. Frederick James, detected symptoms of what resembled strychnine poisoning. Nine days later the infant child of Mr. James died suddenly. A coroner's jury investigated the child's death and returned a verdict that it was due to corrosive poison feloniously administered but did not name any person as being responsible.

Mr. Newbert's wife when questioned by the officers told them that on the night of her husband's death, she purchased some powdered strychnine to be used in killing rats.

\$100,000 LOSS

Fire Broke Out at the Gedney Farm

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Nov. 30.—Fire broke out at Gedney farm, the \$100,000 country place of Howard Willets, the widely known clubman, shortly before eight o'clock this morning and was so well under way when discovered that the volunteer fire department found its task hopeless. The loss, which is estimated at \$100,000, was confined to the house.

ADRIFF IN SEA

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Adrift in the Caribbean sea for more than eighty hours, their little boat has come to the bottom or drifted to some friendly shore the five men who were lost Friday night in the whale boat of the gunboat Marietta now at Port Limon, Costa Rica, still are unreported. It is believed that the navy department that they had enough food and water to last to sustain life for several days. The danger most feared is the swamping of the boat.

Just how the whaleboat and the rig in which five other members of the Marietta's deck crew drifted out to sea to be rescued later became lost will be the subject of inquiry from the department.

Fire Occurred in Ayer This Morning

AYER, Nov. 30.—Fire today on Mechanic street in the business center of this town destroyed the elder and venerable manufacturing plant of the Haynes-Piper Co. and threatened for a time to spread through the town. The Haynes-Piper plant, a large wooden factory, was destroyed in less than an hour.

Aid was called from Fitchburg. The loss is estimated at \$15,000.

DEATHS

KEEFE—Mrs. Ellen M. (Tomlinson) Keefe, of Dennis Keefe, died last night at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ellen Tomlinson, 5 Madison place. She leaves besides her husband eight children, six boys and two girls, one brother and four sisters.

HENNESSEY—Mrs. Mary E. Hennessey, wife of James Hennessey, died this morning at her home, No. 10 By street, aged 56 years. Besides her husband she leaves four sisters, Mrs. John Mylott of North Andover, Mrs. Richard DeCourcy of Gloucester, Mrs. Amade Chateaufort of St. Basil, P. Q., and Mrs. Mary Basil, O. S. D., of Charlestown; three daughters, Alice, Annie and Gertrude Hennessey, and five sons, James, John, Thomas, Daniel and Charles Hennessey.

SMITH—Mrs. Sarah (Livingston) Smith died yesterday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Willard L. Bailey, in Reading, aged 83 years, six months and 28 days. She was the widow of the late Luther Smith, and was a resident of this city until the time of his death. She was a member of the First Baptist church many years ago, later transferring her membership to the Branch Street tabernacle, of which she was a worthy and consistent member. She is survived by three sons and one daughter, Caleb L., Alfred L., Fred A. and Mrs. Caroline A. Bailey.

RYAN—Mrs. Sarah Ryan, wife of Jeremiah Ryan, died yesterday at St. John's hospital, aged 64 years. Deceased was a well known resident and for the past 50 years had been a member of St. Patrick's church. Besides her husband she leaves three nieces, Mrs. Michael Doyle, Miss Elizabeth Ryan and Miss Loretta Gannin, and two nephews, Patrick H. Ryan and Mr. John J. Gannin.

The body was taken to her home, 779 Westford street, by Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons. Funeral notice later.

BARON ROSEN ARRIVES

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Baron Rosen, the Russian ambassador to the United States, arrived today on the steamer Kronprinzessin Cecilie from a visit abroad. He was accompanied by his family.

The Swedish minister to the United States, Herman De Lagergren, with his family returned on the same steamer.

FUNERALS

WILSON—The funeral of Mrs. Laura J. Wilson, a former resident of North Chelmsford, widow of the late Supply C. Wilson, took place last week Tuesday from the residence of her son, S. Elliott Wilson, 26 Webster street, Haverhill, Mass. Burial was in Riverside cemetery, North Chelmsford.

SHARKEY—The funeral of the late Michael P. Sharkey took place this morning from his home, 33 Lyon street and was largely attended. The remains were taken to St. Peter's church where high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Fr. Burns. The choir under the direction of Prof. P. P. Haggerty rendered the Gregorian chant, "Alte Offertory Miss May E. Sharkey sang 'O Meritum Passionis' and as the body was being borne from the church the choir rendered 'In Paradisum.' Mrs. McKennedy presided at the organ. The bearers were Messrs. Edward Tarrant, Frank Guhrle, John Brennan and George Farren. Interment was in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery where the prayers at the grave were read by Rev. Fr. Burns. The interment was in charge of Undertaker John P. Rogers. Among the many floral offerings were the following: Large pillow inscribed "Brother," George Sharkey; large pillow inscribed "B. C. C. A." from associates in the Biglow Carpet company; basket of plums and ferns, Michael Sharkey and family; spray, Mr. J. E. Collins; spray, James McManus; spray, John McManus; spray with lavender ribbon inscribed "Little Girls;" spray of chrysanthemums, Mr. and Mrs. Fernon; spray Misses Mollie and Sabina Crowmley; spray, Miss Mary Smith.

INSPECTED CANAL WORK

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—The congressional party which has been inspecting the progress of the work on the Panama canal and examining conditions in general in the canal zone, returned today from its trip on the steamer Cristobal.

REV. DR. MCGINLEY NAMED

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Rev. Dr. Leo McGinley, curate of St. Philip's Catholic church, Philadelphia, has been appointed secretary to the papal delegation in Washington.

TRANSPORT BUFFALO

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Having gone at full speed from Pichilique bay, Mexico, the transport Buffalo was reported today as having arrived at Panama. It will be her mission in case of a demonstration against Zolaya in Nicaragua to take marines, from the isthmus of Panama to Corinto on the Pacific coast of Nicaragua. Orders for the movement of the marines to Nicaragua have not been issued by the navy department nor will they be until the state department gives the word.

IT'S CABINET DAY

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Cabinet day at the White House brought every one of the president's advisers with the exception of Secretary of the Interior Ballinger into counsel with President Taft. It is stated that the president's message now in the course of preparation, would be the principal matter under discussion today although it was estimated that the Nicaraguan situation would also be taken up.

Mr. John F. Kelly, after a brief illness, has returned to his duties as manager at the Lowell Commercial college.

ONE MORE COUPLE

The following marriage intention was registered at the city clerk's office today:

James L. Fox, 25, newsdealer, Lawrence, Mass., and Ethel G. Hacker, 22, at home, 112 Chelmsford street.

EVELONS, O. U. A. M., TONIGHT.

TO EXTEND RAILROAD

AMOIY, China, Nov. 30.—The imperial board of communications has advanced \$500,000 for the extension of the Amoy & Chang Chow railroad.

MADE PRIVATE SECRETARY

MANILA, Nov. 30.—Edward Bowditch, a former football player of Harvard, was today appointed private secretary to Governor General Forbes. He had been acting in a similar capacity for the governor's predecessor for several months.

EVELONS, O. U. A. M., TONIGHT.

TOOK OATH OF OFFICE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Benjamin Cable of Chicago today took the oath of office of assistant secretary of commerce and labor, succeeding Ormsby Mather, who resigned to resume his law practice.

THE STATE BOARD

To Act in the Ludlow Strike Situation

LUDLOW, Nov. 30.—In the expectation that the good offices of the Massachusetts state board of arbitration might assist in bringing about a settlement of the labor troubles at the bagging mills of the Ludlow Mfg. Associates both parties to the controversy, 1300 strikers on one hand and the management on the other, quietly awaited developments today.

Steps have been taken to relieve the suffering of the strikers, more than 300 of whom have been evicted from tenements owned by the company. Many of them are in a condition bordering on destitution. In Springfield today by permission of the mayor young women were stationed on the principal thoroughfares soliciting funds for the relief of the strikers. In addition, the various labor unions are doing what they are able to aid in the relief work.

It was announced today that there would be no more evictions before Thursday. The household goods of the strikers evicted Saturday, remained piled in the streets today. The strikers claim that they are not financially able to move these goods and the selection have decided to allow them to remain in the streets for the present. Some of them are in streets just over the line in Springfield. The street department of that city has been requested to clear the streets, and it is believed that these articles will be placed in storage by the city.

All of the evicted persons have found shelter with friends.

Most of the evicted families do their cooking in the ranges which have been put out on the street and at meal times animated groups surround the family fires.

It was expected that the members of the state board of arbitration would reach town later in the day. What the attitude of the company would be was a debatable question. The strikers

through their leaders say that they will welcome arbitration of the difference, but the company previously has declined the mediation of the state board, claiming that there was nothing to arbitrate.

CHARGES PREFERRED

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Following the making of charges affecting the administration of his office George Baldwin, special inspector at Baltimore, and Washington, has been suspended from office. A hearing will be given him at the department of commerce and labor in a few days.

HAD SEASICKNESS

NEWPORT, R. I., Nov. 30.—The recruits on board the battleship Wisconsin who arrived here today suffered from seasickness yesterday during the voyage from Portsmouth, N. H. The battleship ran into a northwest gale off Newport early yesterday and was forced to reduce her speed but did not go below 12 knots an hour.

Additional recruits will be taken on board at the naval training station here after which the Wisconsin will sail to join the Atlantic fleet at Hampton Roads.

MAGISTRATE BREEN

Says Pay Envelopes Are Not For Wife to Open

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Wives have no right "tyrannically to coerce their husbands to give them their pay envelopes sealed, but the husband who voluntarily turns his pay envelope over to his wife, if she is frugal and sagacious, is the best citizen in New York," according to Magistrate Matthew P. Breen.

In a lecture to a couple in Essex Market Court, yesterday, the magistrate discussed this matter of wives running the family finances, but he denied Mrs. Annie Louder the order she sought to force her husband, Louis, of No. 14 Forsyth street, to give a certain amount weekly for the household.

Mrs. Louder complained that her husband, who is a mechanic earning \$15 a week, gives her only 50 cents a day to support herself and two children and run the home.

"I'll tell you what's the trouble," the husband interposed. "My wife wants me to turn my pay envelope over to her every Saturday night, sealed. She wants me to give her every cent I earn and make me beg her to hand me out a nickel every time I want a cigar, a glass of beer, or car fare. I don't think that's a respectable position for a husband and father to occupy."

"You want too much," said Magistrate Breen, turning to the complaining wife. "To require your husband to turn his unopened pay envelope over to you each week would amount to tyranny of the sort most dangerous to the perpetuation of the home as the sacred institution it is today. A wife has no right to make such demands of her husband. The husband is the sole owner of the fund, and has the only right, perhaps, to examine the contents of an

envelope representing his recompense for his daily toil.

"While I cannot sanction the doctrine of a wife compelling her husband to turn over his pay envelope intact to her, it is my firm judgment that the man who does voluntarily give all of his earnings to his frugal and sagacious wife for the conduct of the household, the clothing of the children and preparing them for school and Sunday school is the ideal New York citizen."

"John Stuart Mill, the eminent English political economist, it is said, was once asked what class of men in England were the happiest. He replied the mechanic who earned good wages and gave his pay envelope to his wife every Saturday night for the maintenance of his home."

"I agree fully with that sentiment, but such a doctrine is forgotten too much in this modern, bustling age. It ought to be revived, however, and it occurs to me some mighty good efforts could be expended in propaganda work designed to give this doctrine not alone general approval, but general use."

"Moreover, if a man has the right sort of a wife, I see not the least objection to his allowing her full freedom in going into his pockets, while he sleeps or under any other circumstances. The trouble with my wife is she doesn't get enough when she goes into my pockets."

"Also I think it encourages regard for honesty among children to permit them to exercise reasonable freedom in getting money they need from their father's pockets. There is too wide a gulf these days between the average father and his children. The average father, I observe, does not place enough confidence in his own sons; he does not try them out enough and teach them the value of confidence and honesty."

The magistrate is against coercion, and dismissed the complaint against Louder.

POETS IN INTERNATIONAL WAR OVER "SERPENT'S TONGUE" POEM



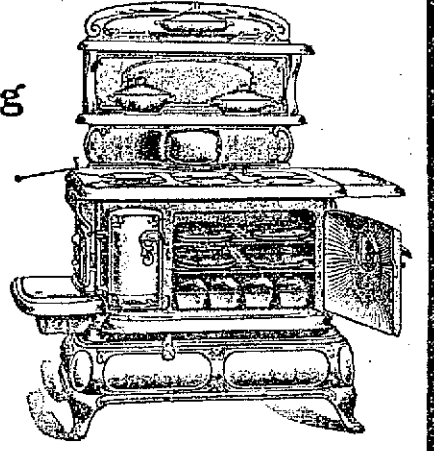
NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The prospect of two celebrated poets engaging in a duel, a fist fight, or a red-hot combat of words is causing literary folk in New York to sit up nights in anticipation of the fray. The belligerents are William Watson, the English poet, and Richard Le Gallienne, the English poet and critic. Mr. Watson has sailed from England vowing to meet Mr. Le Gallienne face to face and find out why Gallienne face to face and find out why

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THE DAVIS CUP

Is Retained by the Australians

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Nov. 30.—The Australian defenders retain the Dwight S. Davis challenge cup, having defeated the Americans in the final match today of the international tennis tournament. The play was in single and the Californians made a better showing than in the earlier match.

The scores:
International Singles.
A. F. Wilding, New Zealand, beat Maurice McLoughlin, United States, 3-6, 8-6, 6-2, 6-3.
Norman J. Brooks, Victoria, beat Melvin Long, United States, 6-4, 7-5, 8-6.

THE SUGAR TRUST

Sen. Burkett to Open War on It

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Senator Elmer J. Burkett of Nebraska has prepared a resolution, which he intends to present to congress, calling for a thorough investigation of the sugar trust. He declared on his arrival at the capital that his resolution would



SENATOR BURKETT

not in any way interfere with the work of the department of justice, but that he was determined, if possible, to have the trust's affairs probed to the bottom, so that the men primarily responsible for killing off competition in the sugar business and perpetrating the customs frauds against the government might be brought to justice.

COUNT SEES ROCKEFELLER

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 30.—Count P. A. De Vries was successful yesterday in his effort to see John D. Rockefeller in reference to draining the Zuyder Zee, Holland, and opening up the bed of that body of water to truck farming. The count is the promoter of this idea and desired to interest Mr. Rockefeller to the extent of financing the proposition.

In previous efforts to reach Forest Hill, the home of Mr. Rockefeller, it had been the count's intention, and on one occasion shots were fired at his automobile. It is reported.

Yesterday the count was admitted to the grounds at Forest Hill. He talked with Mr. Rockefeller while following him around the golf links. The count left for New York last night on the Twentieth Century Limited after having his friends that he had interviewed Mr. Rockefeller.

ART OF SELF-DEFENSE

LONDON, Nov. 30.—With a view to the further encouragement and promotion of the art of self-defense, the newspaper Sporting Life, with the Earl of Londesborough's approval and the promise of his assistance, has started a movement for an international board, on which Great Britain and the United States each will have two representatives and Australia and France each one.

The objects of the board are: First, to frame rules to govern international championships; second, to select for such championships; third, to elect who is entitled to championships; and fourth, to supply belts and trophies to recognized champions.

SECRETARY MEYER

Has Inaugurated Reforms in the Navy Department

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—By inaugurating his comprehensive plan of reform in the navy department tomorrow, Secretary Meyer will forestall probably all attempts at congressional reformation of the department for the present. At this time he will ask only that the bureau of equipment be abolished, which can be accomplished by congress alone.

A year hence if his reforms are found to be as satisfactory in practice as they appear on paper he will ask congress to make permanent the changes by enacting them into law.

Legislation is particularly desired in order to allow the secretary to name any officers he may desire as his aides, one for operation of the fleet, a second for material, a third for personnel, and a fourth for inspection. At present he is limited to the higher ranking officers.

Little else than the effect of the reform was discussed at the navy department today. They are regarded as a striking victory for the line officers. This is notably the case in the navy yards where the power conferred by Secretary Newberry on naval constructors is given to the commandants by Secretary Meyer.

Secretary Meyer intends to appoint younger men to the positions of commandants and captains in the navy yards. Their tenure of office will be three years at least and instead of making it an "easy snap" for officers who in the navy had out their careers the commandants in the future will have men who will later go out in command of ships.

The position of aide of operations of the fleet is generally regarded as likely to become the most important assignment in the navy. Upon this officer in time of war would fall the duties performed by the strategy board during the Spanish-American war and by Assistant Secretary Fox during the Civil war.

ATTACKS HIBBARD

Saunders Says He Should Not Run For Mayor

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Former Election Commissioner Charles R. Saunders last night issued another open letter to Mayor Hibbard, this time replying to the mayor's reply to his open letter of Sunday night, calling for his (the mayor's) withdrawal from the mayoralty contest.

Mr. Saunders concludes his statement that if the mayor continues in his present course nothing but infamy will be his place in history "insofar as you are remembered at all."

He also terms Mr. Hibbard's reference to "loyalty to the city" as the refinement of sarcasm.

The letter is as follows:

"The Hon. George A. Hibbard, 35 Beantown street, Dorchester Centre.
"Dear Sir—Your letter in reply to mine of yesterday is received. I am not surprised that you attempt no defense of your violation, in disregard of all honor, of your solemn pledge not to be a candidate for re-election, which you publicly and repeatedly gave the voters two years ago when appealing for this support. It admits of none."

"You say that you felt it your duty to maintain your candidacy, 'feeling sure that Mr. Storror's loyalty to the city would compel his withdrawal.' Let me say for saying that, in my opinion, for one taking the attitude that you do at the present moment, to speak of 'loyalty to the city,' is the refinement of sarcasm."

"In reply to my suggestion that you have received full compensation for your labors as mayor by the salary of \$10,000 a year, you say 'there are some things in this world which mere money cannot compensate for.' Your

agreement with the city was to serve it to the best of your ability for two years for the compensation of \$10,000 a year in full. You cannot now write into this contract other compensation—least of all, the compensation of a second term which you solemnly agreed to forego in order to increase your chances of getting any term at all."

"Mr. Mayor, the role of martyr which you would assume does not fit. The people know the difference between the true and the false."

"When President John Quincy Adams, rather than use the federal patronage for his own re-election, went down to defeat, he was one. When Senator Ross of Kansas voted against the impeachment of President Johnson, thereby saving the country from the permanent weakening of the executive power, he was one. When Governor Greenhalge, as a member of the Massachusetts house of representatives in 1888, voted to retain a competent democratic clerk of the house, Edward A. McLaughlin, against a republican candidate for the position, from his own ward in Lowell, and suffered defeat for re-election by one vote, in consequence, he was one."

"These men were martyrs for principle. They threw their influence on the right side, and the people remember them with gratitude."

"But when Benedict Arnold sought to deliver West Point to the British, when Hull surrendered Detroit without firing a shot, and when John Tyler betrayed the wild party which elected him, there was no martyrdom in store for them. They were traitors, and such will be your place in history, insofar as you are remembered at all, if you continue in your present course."

Yours very truly,
"Charles R. Saunders."

FRENCH GOVERNMENT

Has Been Drawn Into the Nicaraguan Trouble

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 30.—A cable from San Jose, Costa Rica says:

The French government has been drawn into the Nicaraguan trouble in a way that promises serious consequences for Zelaya as the result of brutal outrages committed on French citizens residing in Nicaragua. An official complaint has been lodged with the French consul-general in Costa Rica by Faustino Montiel, a Frenchman. Montiel who was manager of a farm owned by M. Menier of Paris and situated on the southeast coast of the great lake of Nicaragua, says:

"On the 22nd of October last we were surprised by a large detachment of troops commanded by a gentleman called Larios, who we were told is an aide de camp of the president of Nicaragua. Immediately both Mr. Ruinart and myself were bound and dragged to the edge of the lake where after the mockery of a trial they threatened to shoot us—a threat which they repeated three times."

"As soon as we were safely in the lockup, the soldiers returned to sack the farm, wresting the keys from the housekeeper and carrying on all objects of value on which they could lay their hands, some of which we recognized later in Lortuga. We had to regain possession of our own horses by purchasing them from those to whom they had sold them."

"During the operations at the farm the housekeeper was brutally treated by Larios and it was with difficulty that she saved herself from being killed. They completely stripped the farm, not taking into account the French flag which was at the time hoisted over the house."

COL. ROOSEVELT SWEEPING BILL

Saw Mandi Warriors Was Presented by Premier Moret

LONDON, British East Africa, Nov. 30.—Col. Roosevelt, Kermit Roosevelt, Edmund Heiler and Leslie A. Tarleton arrived here today from Guas Ingilish plateau. All are in splendid health.

Col. Roosevelt expressed himself as delighted at again meeting R. J. Cunningham and members of the American party who awaited him here. The former president is greatly elated over the success of the hunt on the plateau. Among the sights witnessed was a display of lion killing with spears by Mandi warriors. The exhibition was thrilling.

This evening the party will proceed to Njoro, where they will be the guests of Lord Delamare on the latter's ranch until Dec. 10, when they will proceed to Nairobi.

DUKE THEODOR

DIED AT BEYREUTH FROM KIDNEY TROUBLES

BEYREUTH, Bavaria, Nov. 30.—Duke Karl Theodor of Bavaria died today from kidney trouble. Duke Karl never figured prominently in military or political affairs but studied medicine and became a famous eye specialist. He maintained several private hospitals where the poor were treated free and did much to introduce some sort of sanitation into the homes of the mountaineers. He was the head of the ducal line of the Bavarian house. One of his sisters, the Empress of Austria, was married in Geneva. Another sister married the Duke d'Alençon and was married to the Duke in Paris. One of his daughters is the wife of Crown Prince Albert of Belgium and another daughter married Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria, a grandson of the Prince-regent and who probably will succeed to the throne upon the death of the emperor, King Otto.

ARREST WOMEN

On Charge of Attempted Larceny

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Two well dressed women, wearing costly furs, were booked at police headquarters yesterday on charges of attempted larceny from the person. They were arrested by Inspectors Burr and Smith and gave the names of Eva Harris, 27 years old, 15 Salem st., and Elsie Herman, 20, of Washington street.

The arresting officers said the young women had been followed through the big stores by house detectives. One of these detectives claims she saw one of the prisoners take a pocketbook from an unknown woman.

Outside of saying that they lived in Boston the women refused to talk. The addresses, 15 Salem street, is a store, and neither of the women are known there.

Nearly \$100 was found on the women when searched at headquarters. The money was in small bunches. A small seal pocketbook and a brown pocket-book were also found.

MAN'S HEAD

IS ASSUMING SHAPE OF LION'S CAPUT

CINCINNATI, Nov. 30.—The head of Charles Meyers, a shoe maker, 22 years old, is gradually losing its human characteristics and assuming the shape of a lion's caput. The man who is an inmate of the city hospital here was exhibited last night before the Medical Association as the victim of one of the rarest diseases known to medical science. It is known as Leontiasis nasalis and only a couple of cases are on record.

The doctors declare that in a short time he must either become insane or die.

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BUT THE DEFENDANT BECAME A BANKRUPT

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Miss Mamie Shea, a pretty young woman, who last month won an award of \$2,341 from Nicholas Pappas, a Grand street confectioner, as balm for her broken heart, probably won't enjoy her financial assignment after all.

Pappas went into voluntary bankruptcy yesterday, claiming that he owed \$2,857 and had nothing in the world wherewith to pay it except the tripling sum of \$30,000. Those who heard of the bankruptcy were surprised, for they said, Pappas last April withdrew from two prosperous firms in which he was partner, and at the same time disposed of a half interest in two store buildings said to be worth \$70,000, although subject to mortgages.

Pappas, who is much older than Miss Shea, fell in love with her when she came into his shop to buy bon-bons.

TOWN REFUSES LICENSES

NORTH KINGSTON, R. I., Nov. 30.—Despite the vote for license at the last election the town council yesterday refused to grant three permits. These were the only applications, although the town is entitled to eight saloons.

Some members of the council say they will resign before granting any permits to sell liquor. There is no way of compelling them to grant licenses, as the law leaves it in their hands.

TO FIGHT SUIT

STICKNEY WILL NOT GIVE IN TO CHORUS WIFE

TAUNTON, Nov. 30.—The friends of Mrs. Harold D. Stickney, who, prior to her marriage with the son of one of the most aristocratic families in this state, was Miss Mabel Gould Slocum, a chorus girl, were surprised today to hear about her suit for divorce.

In her suit for divorce she charges her husband with cruel and abusive treatment. She further alleges that Stickney abused her from March 23 of this year and also prior to that date.

Several of the people here today stated that when the couple were first married the news of the ceremony did not please Mr. Stickney's mother. When the bride was presented to her mother-in-law a few days after the marriage, the latter was so taken with her daughter-in-law's good looks that she freely forgave the elopement.

It was learned yesterday that Mr. Stickney will contest the case, and has engaged prominent attorneys to fight the divorce case.

MINA DISASTER INVESTIGATION

CINCINNATI, Ill., Nov. 30.—Investigation as to the causes of the St. Paul mine disaster was begun yesterday by Coroner A. H. Malm, who took identification statements of relatives and friends of victims whose bodies have been recovered from the mine.

The identity of thirty bodies was established.

SIX DAYS RACE

The Foreign Riders Arrive in New York

When the French Line steamship La Touraine docked in New York city Saturday morning, there were, after the usual scenes with the customs inspectors, disembarked nine foreign riders, all but one of whom have come to America for the express purpose of competing in the forthcoming six days race which will take place in Madison Square Garden, New York city, the week of December 6 to 11, inclusive.

The riders who sailed from Havre, France, were Walter Rutt, of Germany; John Stoll, of Holland; Leon Georget, G. Gernain, Emile Georget and Charles Parent, of France; Cunillo and E. Carapezzi, of Italy; Reginald Shirley, of England.

The only rider of the number named who will not compete in the six days grind is Parent, the world's champion pace follower. He has been engaged to meet Robert J. Walthour in a special 10 miles motor-paced race, which may or may not be the feature of the preliminary race meet next Saturday night, 4th inst. The real feature of that meet doubtless will be the match sprint race between Frank L. Kramer, who won the American professional championship this season through a technicality, and A. J. Clarke, the Australian, who finished second in the series and whose withdrawal in the final race gave Kramer a more or less hollow victory. The match race will be of more than ordinary interest, for the reason stated.

Plans for the six days race next week have progressed rapidly. The track, which will measure one-tenth of a mile, as in former years will be completed in time to allow the new riders sufficient practice upon its sharp banks. Pending the completion of the ten laps wooden saucer, the foreign and other riders will devote their time to training upon the roads.

The foreigners do not appear as formidable an aggregation as have crossed the pond on former occasions. The prowess of Rutt and Stoll, who won in 1907, and finished second to Macfarland and Moran last year, is well known. Leon Georget and Emile Georget rode as a team in 1907, but the latter did not compete last year, Victor Dupre being Leon's mate. In view of the fact that Emile has been on the sick list about a year it is doubtful if he will be a great help to his younger brother.

The other teams are Gernain and Shirley and Cunillo and Carapezzi. It was learned that Gernain is not the negro, but an old time French pugger, but at any rate he is not a crack. Reginald Shirley is an English sprinter, ranking with Beuyon, who blew up early in the race two years ago. This is the maiden offense for both Gernain and Shirley, as it will be for Cunillo and Carapezzi, the Italian duo. Cunillo is not a track rider and he may find it difficult to acclimatize himself to such a small track as the Madison Square Garden oval. As a hardy runner he is in a class with Cecil, one of the best maceadam fliers that the sunny peninsula ever produced. Carapezzi is a well known second-class sprinter.

So far as can be learned the field of contestants now numbers 17 teams, and unless there are eleventh hour changes the combinations that will whirl around the ten laps nine bowl all next week a million times or less, are as follows:

Rutt and Fogler, Anderson and Vanouli, Lawson and De Mara, Pye and Hehr, Lawrence and Halstead, West and Mitten, Krebs and Cameron, Galvin and Jones, Harigett and Logan, Wiley and Ormish, Clarke and Macfarland, Walthour and Collins, Carapezzi and Cunillo, Rutt and Stoll, Georget and Georget, Gernain and Shirley, and Hill and Stein.

FIRE IN NASHUA

Caused the Loss of About \$3500

NASHUA, N. H., Nov. 30.—Fire, which resulted in a loss of \$3500, destroyed the stables adjoining the residence of Gen. Charles W. Stevens on Main street yesterday. It broke out late in the afternoon and owing to the quantity of hay and grain in the loft the fire companies from the central and Lake street stations were kept on duty until 8 o'clock.

The fire started in an unknown way and had gained considerable headway when discovered. By the time the fire companies could be assembled the building and its adjoining carriage house were enveloped in flames.

After an hour's work the flames were under control and the balance of the time was devoted to extinguishing the blaze in the hay, of which there were seven tons in the stable. Two horses which were in the stable were taken out, but harnesses and other equipment were lost.

The F. D. Cook Lumber company's storehouse and other buildings were threatened at times. The building was covered by an insurance of \$2500.

100 MEN RESCUED

One Man Was Burned to Death

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 30.—Frank Marrow, an American, was killed in a coal mine explosion at Marlon, Ill., yesterday and more than 100 men were rescued with difficulty. Marrow was in that portion of the mine which received the full force of the explosion and his body was nearly incinerated before the rescuers could retrieve it.

More than 100 men were in the colliery when the gas blast came. There was an immediate rush for the shaft and as the cage had not been damaged, all the workmen were soon brought to the surface.

Nearly a score of the men, however, mindful of the disaster at Cherry, Ill., were too terrified to await the usual means of exit and climbed to daylight through the ventilating shaft.

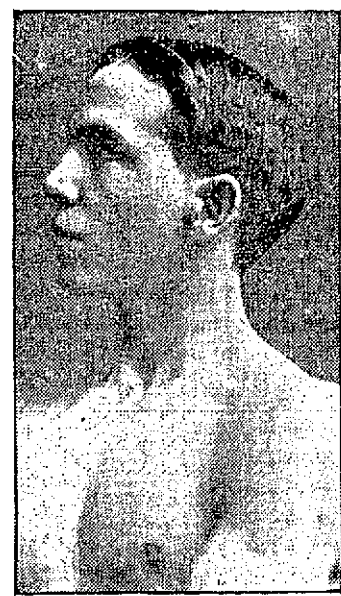
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JIMMY GARDNER

Allowed Twin Sullivan to Reach Him

NEW HAVEN, Nov. 30.—In the opinion of nearly all the 3000 fans who witnessed the 12-round go at the Grand Opera House last evening between Mike (Twin) Sullivan of Cambridge and Jimmy Gardner of Lowell, there was an understanding between the principals.

The crowd blessed the fighters again and again and went home disgusted.



JIMMY GARDNER

The bout was declared a draw. The Anchor athletic club, which arranged the match, was not held responsible by the spectators, for the blame was charged up to the boxers. The fact that the bout was at catchweight and not at welterweight also tended to strengthen the belief of the crowd that it was a fake, pure and simple.

Five or six times Gardner simply stood still and allowed Sullivan to pounce him at will. There was not a good blow struck in the bout. Boxing has never been popular with the New Haven police, and in the opinion of the experts last night's affair will make it difficult to get another permit in this city.

The police stopped the preliminary bout between Eddie Kelly of Bridgeport and "Joe" Marks of Highwood in the second round in order to save Kelly from being knocked out as he was in bad shape.

The semi-final between "Dunny" Ford of New Haven and Terry Fitzgerald of New Britain resulted in a draw. This was a 10-round go. In the first few rounds Ford led, but Fitzgerald was clever in blocking and evened matters.

YOUNG LOUGHREY WON
BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Young Loughrey of Philadelphia, easily defeated Eddie Murphy of South Boston in 12 rounds at the National A. C. in South Boston last night. The bout was all Loughrey's from the start.

In the preliminaries Kid McDonald and Joe Murphy, both of Boston, went eight rounds to a draw and the referee stopped the bout between Jimmy Kerrigan and Mike Murray, both of South Boston, in the fifth round and gave the decision to Murray, Kerrigan being in bad shape.

JACK JOHNSON

WILL NOT FIGHT JEFFRIES IN THE SOUTH

SAVANNAH, Ga., Nov. 30.—That he would not fight James J. Jeffries south of Mason and Dixon's line, was the statement made yesterday by Jack Johnson, heavyweight pugilist, in a telegram to Miss Nick Aprax of a local athletic club, in answer to the latter's offer of a purse for the battle.

This statement accompanied the advice that it would be useless for a southern club to make an offer because the black man would not consider it.

JUDGE UTLEY

DETERMINED TO KEEP DRUNKS OFF THE CARS

WORCESTER, Nov. 30.—Judge Samuel Utley of the central district court yesterday took a hand in the effort to eliminate the presence of drunken men on suburban cars running into Worcester from the license towns around the city by imposing a \$16 fine on a defendant.

In imposing the fine Judge Utley said: "If the railway authorities moved in this matter in the right direction in the first place, there wouldn't be any evil like this at all. Years ago I told the probation officers that drunken men taken from electric cars or trains should not be discharged without arraignment. These men should be dealt with harshly, and the growing street car nuisance would soon pass into oblivion."

DANIEL REED

MAN OF NOTED ANCESTRY IS DEAD

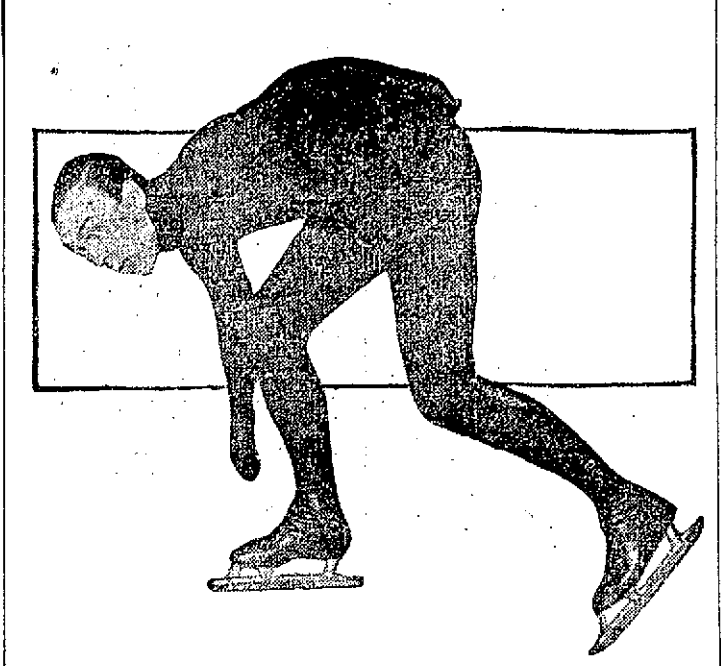
ST. LOUIS, Nov. 30.—The body of Daniel Reed, who died here Sunday night, aged 91, at the Emergency home for aged people, was cremated yesterday afternoon at the Missouri crematory. He was born in Camden, Me., and leaves a daughter Miss Vesta Reed, aged 64.

His grandfather was Gen. James Reed, who served under Washington in the Revolution. In 1840 he married Martha Frances Gray, grandniece of William Gray of Boston, who owned 99 ships.

He was 20 years a sea captain, leaving that calling to become internal revenue gaffer at Boston. He was assistant surgeon under Gen. H. S. Grant in the Civil war, after which he was a really agent many years until he retired to the soldiers' home at Danville, Ill. He came to the Emergency home nine years ago.

CLARENCE GRONGER, DECLARED

AMATEUR SKATING CHAMPION



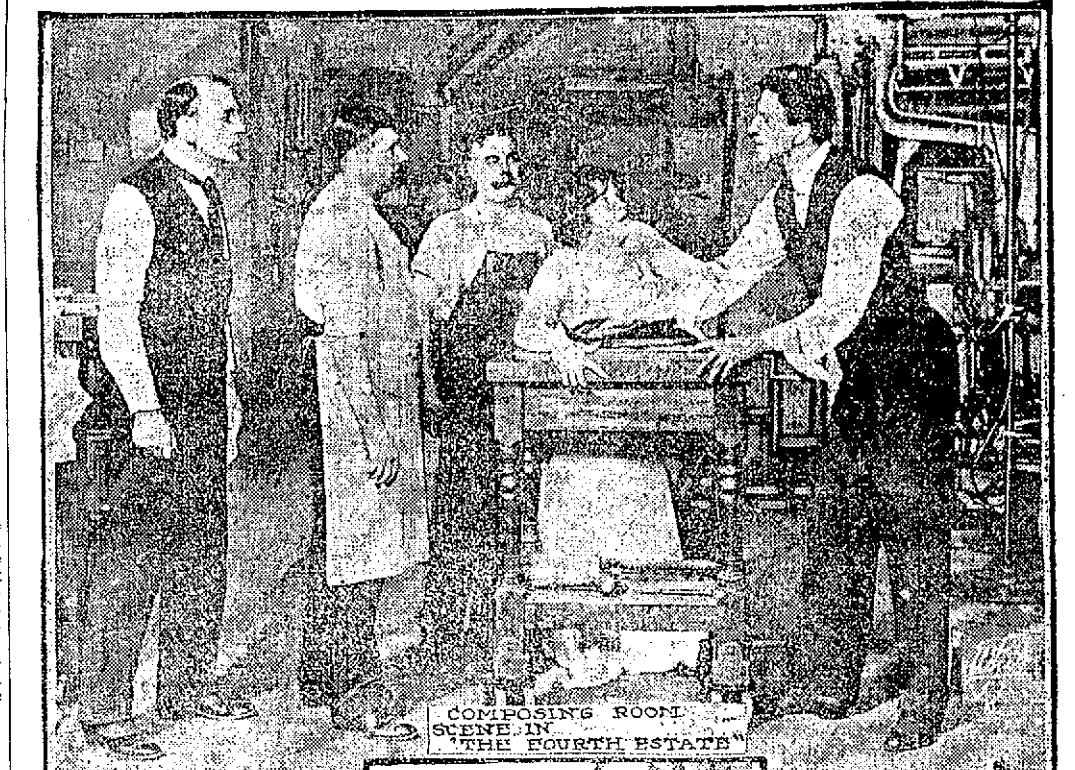
SARANAC LAKE, Nov. 30.—Clarence Granger, who was recently given forth classed as a professional, finished second to Lamy in nearly all the important races of last winter of the United States by the Eastern Amateur Skating association, is now hard at work conditioning himself for the many big meets to be held in the near future. Granger has replaced Edmund Lamy, the speed marvel of

BOXING GOSSIP

The Gladstone club will certainly have some class to its show next Tuesday evening when the principal bout will be of 12 rounds between Joe Thomas of California and Tommy Crawford of Philadelphia, the two leading middleweights of the present time. Crawford would go anywhere to meet Thomas while there's no place in the country that Thomas would go to quicker than Lowell, and hence the Gladstone club was able to get this big bout which ordinarily would go to a bigger city. Thomas will come here in a day or two and finish his training with Jimmie Gardner. The bout will draw a large attendance from Boston and other cities Thomas has met such men as Tommy Sullivan, Honey Melio, Sailor Burke, Jack Twin Sullivan, Harry Lewis and Stanley Ketchel. Ketchel and Thomas have met four times in two 20 round bouts, a 32 round affair and a two rounder. In addition to the main bout Jack O'Hare and Eli Clinton will go eight rounds at catchweights and Young Ross and Young Boyle will go six. The meeting will be for members only. A large number of local boxing fans

STIRRING CLIMAX IN "THE FOURTH ESTATE"--

SOME SUFFRAGE LEADERS AT BIG BENEFIT



NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Probably the most effective move made by the woman suffrage leaders in New York to spread the propaganda of their cause was the benefit which they arranged at the Waldorf theatre, where the great newspaper play "The Fourth Estate" is having such a popular run. Prime movers in the undertaking were Miss Alice Fisher and Miss Pauline Frederick, who have two of the prominent roles in the play. They prevailed upon the management to offer the entire receipts of one performance to the suffrage cause and invite such leaders as did in London, and its leaders in the metropolis assert that it will spread over the whole of the United States in the next few months. Those active in arranging the big benefit were Dr. Anna Shaw, Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, Mrs. Jane Campbell, Mrs. Ella Cross, Miss Carolyn Cross, Mrs. A. F. Townsend, Mrs. Helen Grenfell, Mrs. Harriett Mills, Mrs. N. S. Fraser, Mrs. F. J. Shuler, Mrs. Henry Villard, Mrs. W. M. Ivins, Miss Lucy Anthony, niece of Susan B. Anthony; Mrs. Owen Kildare, Miss Fletcher and Miss Frederick. The scene shown in this illustration is at the climax of the play, when Miss Pauline Frederick, as Judith Barthelemy, pleads to prevent publication of a story exposing her father.

will attend the Armory club this evening to see Freddie Maguire go six rounds with Bobbie Tickle of Providence. Maguire is in fine condition. The main bout will be of 12 rounds between Roy Bronson and Dave Deshler.

A TRIPLE TIE

For the World's Billiard Championship

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—A triple tie for the world's professional 18.2 ball line billiard championship resulted from yesterday's play in the tournament at Madison Square garden. At the afternoon session, George Sutton of Chicago, defeated Firmin Cassagnol, the French champion; and this evening Calvin Demarest of Chicago won from George Slosson, the New York player.

The two winners are therefore tied with Harry P. Cline of Philadelphia, each of the three having completed his schedule with four games won and one lost. The scores of the six contestants for the championship are as follows:

Won	Lost	P.C.
Cline.....4	1	.800
Sutton.....4	1	.800
Demarest.....4	1	.800
Slosson.....1	4	.250
Cassagnol.....1	4	.250
Cutler.....0	4	.000

One game is still to be played in the regular series between Slosson and Cutler, and this will be decided Thursday afternoon, while the triple tie for first place will be played off in three games. Demarest will play Cline on Wednesday, the loser of that match will play Sutton on Thursday, and the winners of the two matches will play on Friday.

The Demarest-Slosson match last evening was close at first but toward the latter part of it Demarest scored heavily, going out in the 32d inning with a brilliant unfinished run of 82, and winning by a score of 600 to 364. Slosson made a remarkable run of 132 in his 11th, finally missing a three-cushion try by the narrow margin. This sent the Slosson score up to 191 against 115 for Demarest, but the Chicago player overcame this lead with a series of two figure runs and kept his lead to the end.

DR. ROLLER HELD GOTCH

DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 30.—Dr. B. F. Roller, wrestling champion of the Pacific coast, held Frank Gotch, world's heavyweight wrestling champion, fifteen minutes without a fall last night in an exhibition here.

BOWLING NOTES AT ST. MICHAEL'S

Several Contests on the Alleys Last Night

There were two contests in the Catholic league last night. One of the games resulted in the Belvideres taking two points from St. Peter's, while in the other game the Y. M. C. I. captured two from the Buxies.

The Crimsone and Blues, two teams made up of young men, met on the alleys last night and the former team won the game by a big margin. The scores:

CATHOLIC LEAGUE			
St. Peter's			
Loupret.....	90	75	85
Riley.....	67	81	85
Dunham.....	83	76	85
O'Donohoe.....	80	83	103
McCarthy.....	92	92	110
Totals.....	412	406	469

Belvideres			
Curry.....	82	100	92
Gilligan.....	80	108	94
Clark.....	100	90	74
Vice.....	100	90	95
Totals.....	457	478	452

Y. M. C. I.			
McCort.....	95	86	85
J. Martin.....	97	99	93
A. Doyle.....	104	96	80
Moran.....	96	91	82
T. F. Kelley.....	98	90	100
Totals.....	489	468	440

Buxies			
Duggan.....	89	88	89
Gleason.....	89	85	97
McManney.....	88	105	95
Pop.....	88	93	105
O'Brien.....	88	94	91
Totals.....	442	459	477

CRIMSONE VS. BLUES			
Crimsone			
J. Ryan.....	85	89	67
Bretton.....	81	81	84
Stack.....	92	77	81
E. Dickenson.....	84	80	96
Totals.....	434	411	430

Blues			
McGarr.....	79	73	80
Callons.....	66	88	89
Holland.....	72	64	82
B. Stowell.....	73	82	65
R. Stowell.....	76	111	76
Totals.....	370	409	380

POLICE OFFICER

Was Clubbed by Two Men

FALL RIVER, Nov. 30.—Clubbed over the head, back and hands with a baseball bat by two men, one of whom was a fugitive from justice, Inspector Hugh Bogan had a thrilling experience at 660 Middle street Sunday when he attempted to arrest Samuel Hathaway on a charge of larceny of \$1600. Hathaway was assisted in the assault by Manuel Williams, an employee of Hathaway. Both were arraigned yesterday and sentenced to one year in the house of correction. They appealed and were held in \$1000.

Inspectors Bogan and Shay called at the Hathaway home and while Inspector Bogan rang the front doorbell Inspector Shay ran around to guard the rear door. Williams appeared in answer to Bogan's ring and said Hathaway was not at home. Just then Hathaway's figure loomed up behind Williams. He reached over William's shoulder and struck at the inspector with a baseball bat.

Bogan grappled Hathaway and the two men struggled about the house. Williams is accused of wrenching the bat away and striking the inspector twice across the back. Bogan retained his grip and Hathaway went to the floor.

Then Williams was said to have swung the bat again and brought it down on Bogan's head, cutting the scalp. Feeling that he was losing his strength Bogan backed out of the house.

He told Inspector Shay of the fight he had and the latter summoned assistance from headquarters. Inspector Bogan was able to appear in court yesterday morning.

DETROIT AMERICANS WON

MATANZAS, Nov. 30.—The Detroit Americans defeated the Matanzas base ball team here yesterday by a score of 14 to 7.

MARTIN SNEE DEAD

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Martin Snee, of Haverhill, an old time lightweight boxer who met most of the men of his class in his day, died at the Homeopathic hospital in this city late yesterday, following an operation. He was born in Haverhill 47 years ago, and followed the trade of a shoemaker. He met Jim Carey of England, Austin Gibbons of New Jersey and had three notable battles with Dick Morehouse. His last bout was a 20 round draw with Leslie Pierce of Philadelphia in Lowell in 1895.

He leaves two brothers and a sister in Haverhill.

Lecture by T. B. Lawler This Evening

The Holy Name Society of St. Michael's church will begin the observance of its 26th anniversary this evening with a concert and lecture in Odd Fellows hall, Bridge street. The speaker of the occasion will be Thomas B. Lawler of New York, one of the best known Catholic educators, who will speak on the subject "The Catholic Layman of Our Times." An excellent musical program will also be provided. The public is invited.

SUIT ENTERED

TO RECOVER MONEY FOR TUITION IN BOSTON UNIVERSITY

Lawyer George P. Drury, representing the trustees of Boston University of Boston, has brought suit against Postmaster Albert G. Thompson, of this city, to recover the amount of a bond given by Mr. Thompson to the plaintiffs for the tuition of Harry J. Kelley, of 580 Gorham street, who was recently defeated for the democratic nomination for representative in the 16th Middlesex district.

The action which is one of contract in part states that the defendant executed to the plaintiffs his bond in the sum of \$150. The condition of the bond was that the defendant should once every term pay or cause to be paid to the trustees of Boston University the whole of such sum or sums of money as should become due from Harry J. Kelley, a student in said university.

BOY MAY RECOVER

The condition of Fred Looby, the boy who was run over by an express wagon Saturday afternoon remains about the same. Inquiry at the Lowell hospital, where the boy was taken after the accident, brought forth the information that considerable hope is entertained for his recovery.

WOLCAST WON

He May be Matched With Nelson

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—After his victory over Lew Powell last night Ad Wolgast is hailed here today as the legitimate opponent of Battling Oskar Nelson for the lightweight championship. Although Wolgast got the decision via the 20th round route Powell was backed by thousands at odds of 10 to 8.

Addie opened the argument as if he intended to make a runaway fight of it. He fairly dazzled Powell with his speed and his aggressive milling at close range was a revelation. Thmo and again he drove right and left arrows to the body and kept his arms swinging with such regularity that Powell was at sea. Try as he would he would not or could not elude the Milwaukeean's determined rush and the best he could do was to protect himself, let alone hand out any cuffs himself.

In the 18th round Powell made his only showing. It was the most vicious round of the mill and for a moment it looked as though Lew might turn the tables. He sent in several ponderous right smashes as Ad rushed and forced him to stall most of the round. Toward the close of the round, however, Wolgast sprinted again and after a fearful pounding Powell went to his corner groggy. Wolgast again took the lead and held it to the finish, all the time mauling up Powell and bringing fresh blood in almost every round.

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STABBED TO DEATH

Young Woman Was Trying to Save Her Father

VINCENNES, Ind., Nov. 30.—Interfering to save her father, Jasper Burba, Miss Etta Burba, 20 years old, was stabbed to death by Oscar Savage, her sweetheart, at her home last night. Savage attacked Burba with a long knife, inflicting a gash across the forehead. Burba defended himself with a bottle and his daughter tried to protect him. Either in a fit of rage or by accident, Savage plunged the knife

into the girl's heart and she died almost instantly. Burba told his sister-in-law to call the police. Savage pursued her, brandishing the bloody knife until she reached the police station. Then he returned to the Burba home, and placed his sweetheart's body on a bed. He was sitting beside it when the police arrived. He seemed stupefied and protested that the girl was not dead.

COCAINE USED

By the Inmates at Deer Island

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—James C. White, secretary to Mayor Hibbard, has, at the latter's request, made an investigation of the charges that cocaine and other drugs are being used by the inmates of the house of correction at Deer Island, and in his report he admits that the "dope" habit exists among the prisoners, but not to any such alarming extent as has been represented.

Sec. White reports that of the 1500 prisoners at the house of correction not more than 40 are victims or users of drugs. He places the number between 25 and 40, although allegations have been made that approximately 300 were addicted to the drug habit.

In regard to the charges that cocaine and other forms of drug were given to the prisoners by officers at the institution, Sec. White believes

that they are unfounded, but he practically admits that the stuff has been brought to the island in surreptitious ways. Neither does the secretary believe that large quantities of drugs reach the inmates, nor does he believe that drugs are brought to the island regularly.

In his investigation Sec. White discovered that cocaine reached the prisoners through the many furtive ways which the inventive minds of those afflicted with the craze have devised. He is of the opinion that some cocaine has been given to prisoners beneath postage stamps and in the binding of books. Although he thinks part of the dope is brought in by the inmates themselves at the time of their commitment and in such a manner as to defy a bodily search, the bulk of the smuggling has been done by visitors.

As to the charges that some of the officers have assisted in the illegal traffic in drugs, the secretary says that it is true, and it is also to be feared that among the officers there have been some who have fallen under the temptation, but upon mere suspicion these officers have been discharged, and he feels confident that when the master of the house of correction asserts that he now thinks his lists are clear, that they are and that injustice is being done the officers when it is said that they are aware of the situation and daily witnesses of the various attending practices.

As a remedy against the evil, Sec. White recommends in his report that the 30 or 40 inmates addicted to drug be at once segregated and placed under the observation of the medical officers. He also goes a step further and recommends that the list of visitors to the island be reduced to a few officers on the island be sworn in as constables. He suggests that Mayor Hibbard make a request of the head of the Harvard or Tufts medical school, or both, to have two or more experts, preferably men who have had charge of sanitariums where drug cures are made, to make a special investigation of the conditions and report a plan, not only for preventing the growth, at least at Deer Island, of the practice, but of possibly curing such inmates as are now suffering from the habit.

MRS. M. T. SCOTT

Seeks Re-Election as Head of D. A. R.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Scenting a two-term ambition on the part of Mrs. Matthew T. Scott, who was last year elected to the presidency of the D. A. R., leaders of the large opposition to her administration are in the field with plans to combat that ambition.

The announcement that Mrs. Scott will run again in the spring of 1911 is said to have been conveyed to intimate friends among her supporters. The "insurgents," whose candidate, Mrs. William Cummings Story of New York city, had only eight votes less than Mrs. Scott at the election last fall, are openly charging that Mrs. Scott is plying not to seek re-election.

It is claimed, however, that the Illinois state organization to which she belongs has from the first insisted that it would put Mrs. Scott in the field a second time.

Mrs. Scott, who has engaged a suite of rooms for the winter at the Arlington, has decided to spend the season in Washington and will entertain in lavish style between now and April, the month set for the annual continental congress.

She is a woman of wealth and influential social connections, possessed of an attractive personality, and it is said wishes her administration to be as brilliant socially as was that of Mrs. Charles Warren Fairbanks.

NEW CITY HALL

For New York Will Cost \$7,500,000

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Plans for the \$7,500,000 twenty-five story municipal building, 550 feet high, were approved by the board of estimate yesterday, and contracts for the work will be let within a few days.

This great structure, which will house most of the city departments will be erected near the Brooklyn bridge, and will have 650,000 feet of floor space.

COMMITTEE ON SEWERS The committee on sewers went a-viewing yesterday afternoon and last night gave hearings on petitions for sewers in Moore and Marsh streets and Plummer avenue. Sewers in Moore and Marsh streets were voted but the Plummer avenue sewer was not voted.

AN ITCHING PALM

No Cure for It. Other Forms of Itching Preferable

There is no cure for an itching palm—the money kind. Even poslam, the new skin discovery, cannot help it. But when it comes to eczema, the most annoying of itching skin troubles, poslam will stop the itching at once and cure the worst cases in a few days. So with hives, rash, scabies, split toes, piles, and scaly scalp, all of which are different forms of eczema, accompanied by severe itching and caused by imperfect digestion and careless diet.

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That results are immediate will be amply demonstrated overnight by the use of the experimental sample which the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West Twenty-fifth street, New York City, will send free by mail, in plain wrapper, to anyone who will write for it.

PANIC STRICKEN

Families Scared by Explosion of Dynamite

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Dynamite dropped down the chimney wrecked the flat of Abraham Elmich in East 13th street last night, and falling debris cut him severely about the head. His wife, with an infant in her arms, was hurled across the room, but neither was badly hurt. Twenty-five families in the building were panic-stricken and fled to the street. The owner of the tenement who has been receiving "Black Hand" letters, is supposed to have been the object of the attack.

WESTFORD MAN

INJURED IN AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT

John Abbott of Westford was seriously injured in Lexington on Saturday afternoon as the result of an automobile in which he was riding being overturned. He received a broken collarbone, a cut on the back of the head and several bruises.

Mr. Abbott was riding with Walter Carl in the latter's automobile, a Popple-Hartford, when the accident occurred. The car was bowling along the state road between Concord and Arlington. When a sharp curve was reached Mr. Carl applied the brakes in order to slow down, that he might negotiate the curve, but the brakes refused to work, the car skidded and turning turtle threw the occupants out.

Mr. Carl escaped injury, but Mr. Abbott was so seriously injured that he was assisted to a house nearby and a doctor was called.

Another machine was secured and both young men were taken to Mr. Abbott's home. Mr. Abbott is now resting comfortably.

THE LEWISONH ESTATE BOSTON, Nov. 30.—The estate of the late Leonard Lewisohn of New York was not in any way involved in the Old Dominion Co. litigation in this state, as stated in a despatch sent from this city on Saturday, when executions amounting to \$2,132,850 were issued by the supreme court against Albert S. Bigelow of Boston and in favor of the company.

The late Mr. Lewisohn and Mr. Bigelow were partners in organizing the Old Dominion Co. and some time ago company brought suit to recover alleged profits obtained without the knowledge of other officials. Mr. Lewisohn was not sued in this state but in New York, and when the case was carried to Washington he won. This litigation was distinct from that recently disposed of by the supreme court of this state. It is understood that Mr. Bigelow will appeal to the supreme court of the United States.

WON FIRST PRIZE

BARBER, N. C., Nov. 30.—The Alarge stake of the Continental trials was finished here yesterday, the winner of first prize being Cowley's Pride, English setter, owned by U. H. Fleischmann of New York, handled by C. H. Babcock of New Bedford, Mass.

The conditions under which the dogs ran were very trying, for it was very dry and while there are plenty of birds on the grounds, it was difficult for the dogs to handle them.

SPITTING NUISANCE

Hawking and Spitting is Caused by Catarrh Germs

If the local authorities want to stop the disgusting habit of spitting mucus on the sidewalks, they had better instruct the people as to the best method of killing the catarrh germs and curing catarrh.

You can easily tell by reading the symptoms below whether you have catarrh or not:

Offensive breath, frequent sneezing, discharge from nose, stoppage of the nose, huskiness of the voice, tickling in throat, droppings in throat, a cough, pain in chest, loss of strength, variable appetite, spasms of coughing, low spirited at times, raising of mucus, difficulty in breathing, loss of vital force. Carter & Sherburne have a sensible remedy (money back if it fails) for catarrh, called Mionel, which is a vaporized air so antiseptic that when it is breathed over the inflamed and germ-laden membrane, it kills all germ life and cures catarrh. The price, including hard rubber inhaler, is only \$1.00, and money back if it doesn't cure. Extra bottles, 50 cents.

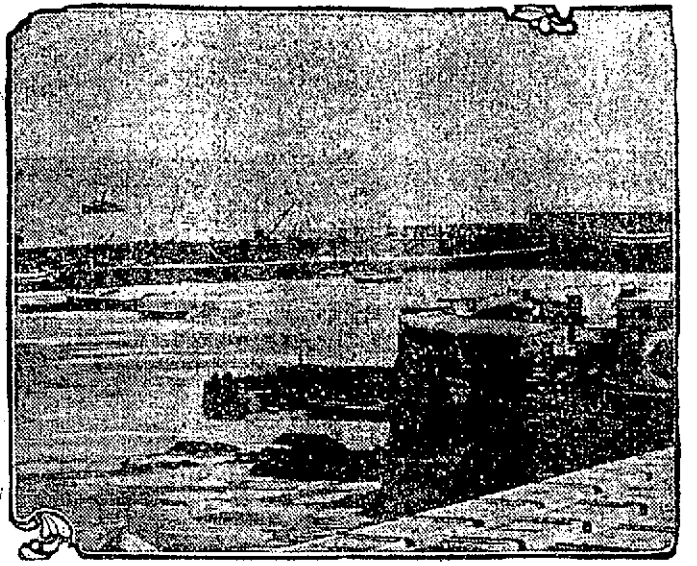
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PORT OF SANTA CRUZ, TENERIFE, MENACED BY STREAMS OF LAVA



SANTA CRUZ, Nov. 29.—Several towns containing thousands of persons are threatened with destruction by volcanic eruptions on the island of Tenerife, the largest of the Canary group. The island is about sixty miles long and thirty wide, and the volcanoes are situated near its center. Lava thrown up by constant eruptions is flowing into the valleys that lead to the coast in great volume, and the people are fleeing to the coast towns in terror. Lava from Mount Billa has separated into two streams, and in the path of one or the other of these streams lie the towns of Santiago, Tamaino, Tanque and Chasna. Earthquake shocks are almost continuous. From Santa Cruz, the principal port, comes word that the entire island is threatened.

LOST HIS MEMORY

Boy Was Kidnapped From His Home in Lynn

LYNN, Nov. 30.—Clouds of forgetfulness still hover in the mind of Joseph Bekovitch, 14, of 112 Wyman street, who was kidnapped for the second time in his life on Saturday, Oct. 20, by two men, who kept him until last Friday, when he escaped and returned home.

The police, in an effort to trace the kidnappers, find that the boy has experienced almost an utter lapse of memory.

Beyond the fact that he was for two weeks a prisoner in a deserted house on the outskirts of Boston and had fed and partly unconscious for four weeks, the boy can remember nothing that would help the police.

The young man when he found his way back home last Friday night was so weakened that he could scarcely talk. Since then he has been able to give only the barest details of his experience.

Bekovitch disappeared on Saturday, Oct. 30. When he failed to return to his father's home in the evening a search was instituted, but until he returned home last Friday night no trace of him could be found.

His own explanation is that on Saturday noon, the day he disappeared, he received his pay and started home, when he met two strange men on the street. One asked him his name and then said: "If you will come with me, I will see that you get a better job at a higher salary."

The young man joined the men and they took a car. His story from that time is incomplete except that the young man declares that the men took him in the general direction of Boston, but that they were on the outskirts. He was taken into a house and locked in a room.

At frequent intervals the boy heard the two men talking about money matters. They swore repeatedly, and a few days before the young man made his escape one of the men said that the money was not forthcoming.

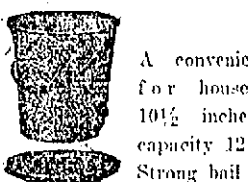
Last Friday afternoon, according to the boy's story, while his two captors were asleep, he made his escape by jumping out of window on the second floor of a house.

He began running in the direction he

EAGLES, NOTICE!

Members of Lowell Aerie No. 222 are requested to be present at the home of our late brother, Patrick W. Cox, 31 Perrin street, this evening at 8 o'clock when the exercises of our order will be held. For order, JAMES F. MORRISON, W. Pres. JOHN M. HOGAN, Secretary.

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DIED ON ISLAND

Charles Conway Succumbed to Exposure

Charles Conway, aged 52 years, and John Cosgrove went boat riding on the Shawheen river late Saturday night after an evening in Lowell, and Conway's dead body was found on a small island in the river on Sunday morning, while Cosgrove is at his home in East Tewksbury in a critical condition as the result of exposure.

The news of the finding of the body, probably on account of the condition of Cosgrove, did not become generally known until yesterday afternoon, when Undertaker Frank Farmer removed it to the morgue.

As far as can be learned the two men who were employed on the farm of Wallace Burt in East Tewksbury came to Lowell and spent the evening here, leaving the city about 10:30 o'clock. Upon arriving in Tewksbury they decided to take a boat ride on the Shaw-

sheen river. On the farm of Growenor Clark they found a trail skiff and started off in it. They had not gone far when Conway fell overboard. Cosgrove, however, succeeded in getting him back into the boat and he then rowed to a little island, where they got out and Cosgrove lit a fire. Conway was thoroughly chilled, but assured his companion that he would be all right in a short time. Both sat around the fire and soon fell asleep, and Cosgrove did not awaken until 10 o'clock Sunday morning. He attempted to arouse his companion, whom he believed to be sleeping, and after several unsuccessful attempts he attracted the attention of people in the vicinity, who went over to the island to find that Conway was dead. The body was then removed to the opposite shore, where it remained until the arrival of the undertaker. Although Conway died from exposure, the body was scorched in several places from contact with the fire. Cosgrove went to his home, where he is recovering. Conway has relatives in St. John, N. B., Ballardvale and Somerville. His body is being held to await word from relatives.

Lowell, Tuesday, Nov. 30, 1909.

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Children's Rompers, made of good fine chambray gingham, 39c value. November Sale 19c

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Ladies' Handkerchiefs, plain and fancy, 5c value. November Sale Only 3c Each

Best Crotonne in remnants, fancy weaves, all new colorings and a good assortment of patterns, 12 1-2c value. November Sale Only 8c Yard

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Very fine Percelle, light and dark colors, fine quality, 30 inches wide, 10c value. November Sale Only 6 1-4c Yard

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Yard wide Art Sateen, very handsome designs, 12 1-2c value. November Sale Only 8c Yard

Yard wide Percelle, light and dark percelle, very fine quality, fast colors for house dresses and wrappers, 10c value. November Sale Only 6 1-2c Yard

Diaper Cloth, nice soft quality remnants, of best quality, in bundles of 5 yards, for 20c a Bundle

Yard wide heavy plain Outing Flannel, gray, pink and blue, regular value 12 1-2c. November Sale 8 1-2c Yard

Yard wide Bleached Twill Flannel, good thick quality, 12 1-2c value. November Sale Only 10c Yard

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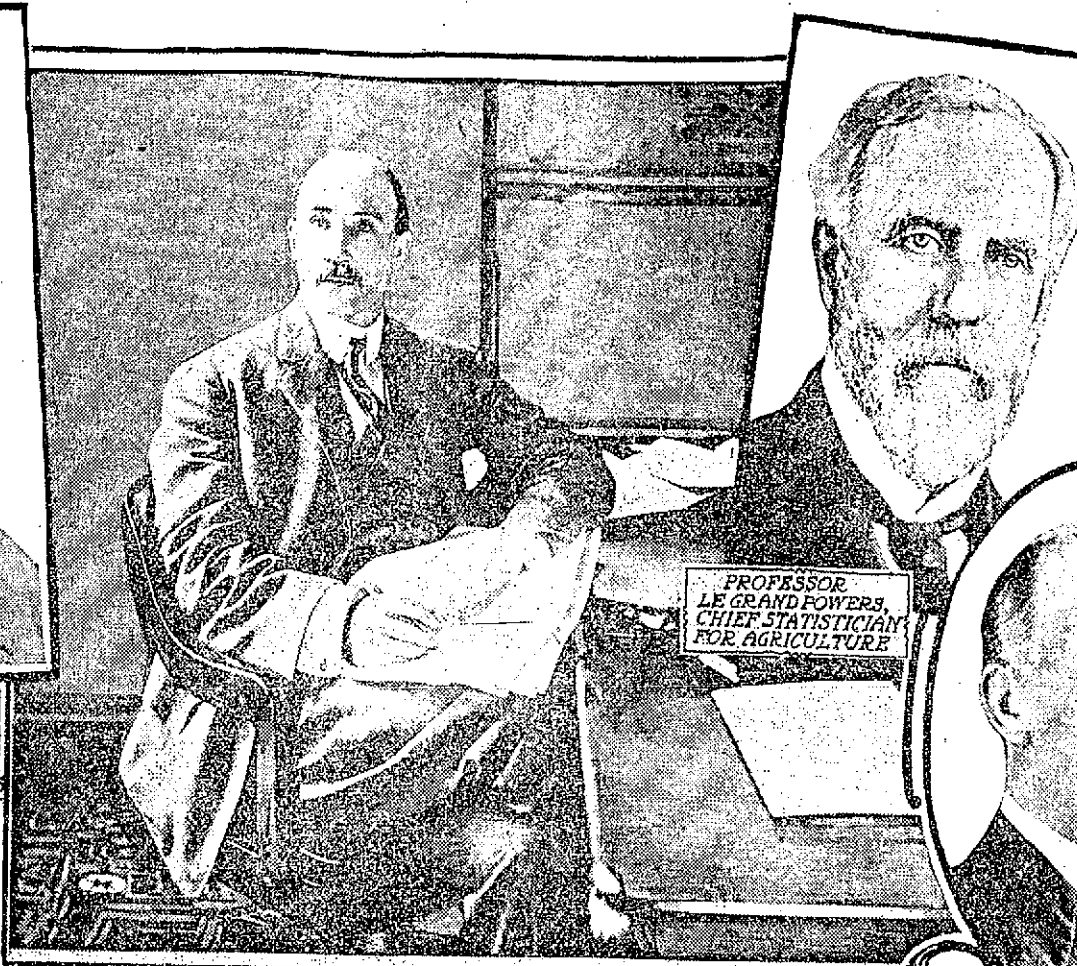
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UNCLE SAM'S THIRTEENTH CENSUS

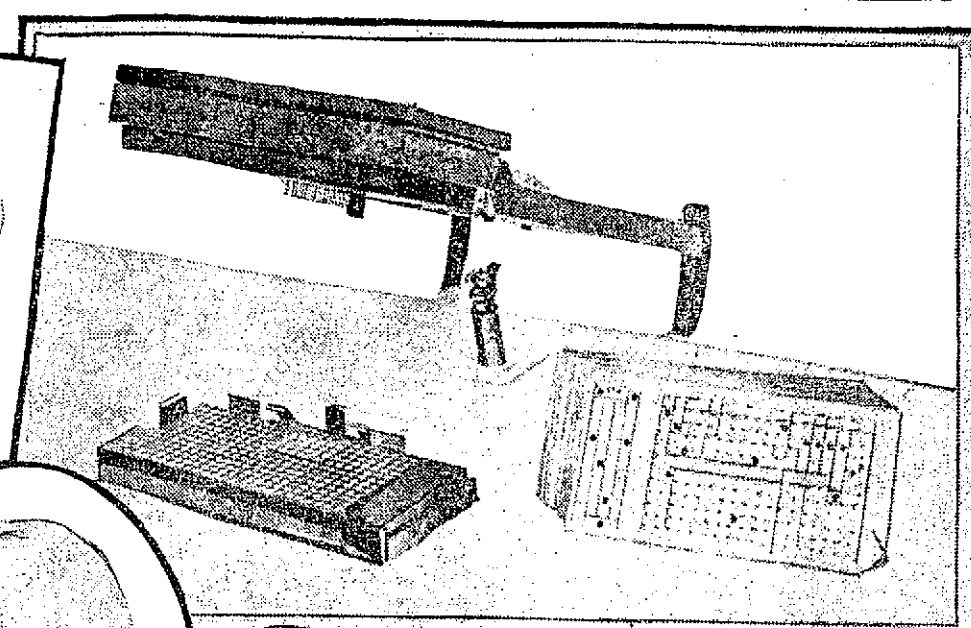
Of Population, Farms, Factories, Mines and Quarries



WILLIAM F. WILLOUGHBY,
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SEMI-AUTOMATIC ELECTRICAL TABULATOR, "PIN BOX" ATTACHMENT AND STACK OF CARDS AWAITING TABULATION.



W. M. STEWART, CHIEF
STATISTICIAN FOR
MANUFACTURES

OLD Dr. U. S. Census will begin making his thirteenth diagnosis of the condition of Uncle Sam and his family April 15 next. He made the first in 1790 and has been repeating it every ten years since. Uncle Sam has footed the bill to date amounting to about \$47,000,000. Our venerable dad has calculated that the thirteenth investigation will cost about \$13,000,000, so that when old Dr. U. S. Census finishes his current work there will have been spent about \$60,000,000 for this purpose since 1790.

The twelfth census cost about \$13,000,000, and as Uncle Sam's land possessions have increased since then and his family gained about 15,000,000 more members than belonged to it in 1900 it would be considered no more than fair if the present diagnosis were to call for the spending of about \$13,000,000, which would be the sum if the rate of increase of expense at each census up to the twelfth were to be maintained for the thirteenth.

A census expert has estimated that of the \$13,000,000 the headquarters office force will earn \$4,800,000; the enumerators, \$3,500,000; the supervisors, \$910,000; and the special agents, \$700,000. The administrative cost will be \$200,000; the stationery, \$200,000; rent, \$125,000; tabulating machines, \$250,000; cards for tabulation processes, \$100,000; printing, \$300,000; Alaska, \$85,000; Porto Rico, \$100,000. Total, \$12,930,000.

If that is all the expense it is cheap. The late General Francis A. Walker, who was a census authority greater than any other, living or dead, once

wrote, that "the people of the United States can well afford to pay for the very best census they can get." He penned this in connection with a frank confession of his own shortsightedness in underestimating the cost of the tenth census.

It's the old story. When you are ill, get the best doctor you can afford.

The comparative cheapness with which the thirteenth census will be taken will be largely due to Director E. Dana Durand's economical methods, to the introduction of semiautomatic electrical card punching, tabulating and sorting machines and to the inheritance of wisdom from the experience gained by the permanent census bureau. During the term of the latter, which now is in a sort of state of suspended animation pending the taking of the decennial census, the methods of inquiry, tabulation and compilation have been greatly improved both in accuracy and in economy. Millions will be saved.

Modern Methods For Accuracy.

Mr. Durand is responsible for many of the new methods to increase statistical accuracy at every step of the

census taking and to decrease the per capita cost of the enumeration. The card punching, tabulating and sorting machinery is the invention of a census mechanical expert, and the patent rights belong to Uncle Sam. The machines are novel in plan and design, and those they superseded and can be built and operated at a large saving of money as compared with previous expenditures for this purpose.

Other money saving features are the elimination of the vital statistics inquiry from the work of the decennial census, as it belongs to the permanent branch of the United States census; the reduction in the number of schedules, the piece price method of paying for machine work, the omission of the hand, household and neighborhood inquiries from the manufactures branch of the census, and the reduction of the size and number of copies of the final reports.

The larger part of the \$13,000,000 will be expended in the fiscal year which began July 1 last and ends June 30, 1910, the first of the three years within which the thirteenth census must be over, the temporary clerks

and special agents discharged and the permanent census bureau with its office force of 700 clerks again performing its annual intercensal functions. Fully half of the total to be expended will be Washington's share, and the remainder will be distributed all over the country. Washington needs the money and is preparing to absorb the millions into its circulatory system.

Congress has limited the thirteenth census to four general subjects—population, agriculture, manufactures and mines and quarries. The director is authorized to determine the form and subdivision of inquiries. The inquiry as to population relates to April 15, 1910; that as to agriculture concerns the farm operations during 1909 and calls for an inventory of farm equipment April 15, 1910; that relative to manufactures and mines and quarries is for 1909.

An Army to Get the Facts.

The enumerators will carry only the population and agriculture schedules April 15, 1910. Special agents will be sent out with the schedules for the manufactures, mines and quarries data.

There will be fully 65,000 enumerators, of whom about 45,000 will carry both the population and agriculture schedules, as it is estimated that there are now fully 7,000,000 separate farms in America, with farmers numbering well up into a score of millions. In 1900 there were many more billions of dollars of fixed capital invested in agriculture than there were in manufactures, whence as it may seem. And the farmer is getting better off all the time; his mortgage indebtedness is decreasing fast; his taxation is small as compared with the urbanite's burden, and he has taken to automobile riding on a large scale.

This is the heyday of the farmer, and old Dr. U. S. Census is going to diagnose him pretty carefully for fear that with ease comes evil—that is, the neglect of those essentials which have made his prosperity possible.

Census taking every ten years is a tremendous task. It is the greatest single operation undertaken by Uncle Sam, with the exception of the Panama canal work and the assembling of an army in time of war. The American census is the largest, costliest and most accurate of any taken by the civilized

nations. Its methods are the most modern and its equipment the most complete. The census bureau forces comprises, first, Director E. Dana Durand of Michigan, who, although only thirty-eight years old, is older than most of the generals commanding the forces in the civil war and who is, too, a statistically scoured hero, a veteran in government service and likely to prove the most practical and efficient director connected with any of the past censuses. Then there is the assistant director, William F. Willoughby of Washington, former secretary of state of Porto Rico. Next in rank are the five chief statisticians—William C. Hunt, in charge of the population division; Le Grand Powers, heading the agricultural division; William M. Stewart, overseeing the manufactures division; Dr. Cressy L. Wilbur, the vital statistics work; and Dr. Joseph Adna Hill, the division of revision and results. Charles S. Slocum is the geographer, Albertus H. Baldwin is the clerk, Volter V. Viles is chief of the publication division, Hugh M. Brown is private secretary to the director, Robert M. Pindell, Jr., is the appointment clerk, George Johannes is the disbursing officer and C. W. Spicer is the mechanical expert. In addition to these are the chiefs of the divisions under the chief statistician.

There are about 750 permanent clerks, and there will be 3,000 temporary clerks, etc. The supervisors will number 350, and they will employ and direct the 65,000 enumerators. Twenty expert special agents will exercise an advisory function. There will be about 1,600 chief special agents and assistant special agents. The supervisors will also probably employ 1,000 clerks, 600 special agents and 4,000 interpreters to assist them in the direction of the enumerators.

The enumeration must be finished within two weeks in the cities of 5,000 population or over at the last census and within thirty days in all other areas. Tabulating the Returns. The preparation of the schedules for the tabulating process will begin as soon as they are forwarded by the supervisors. The data on them relating to population will be transferred to Manila cards by the punching of holes in them to correspond with the different items in the schedules. An electrical machine controlled by a clerk can punch holes in 4,000 cards a day. There will be 300 of these, and 80,000,000 cards have been ordered.

After the punching the cards are hand fed into an electric tabulating machine with a "pin box" attachment, which permits the required pins to pass through the variously placed holes in the cards. In this way establishing an electric circuit, resulting in the tabulation of the items on counters which register their results in printing on spoiled paper somewhat like a stock ticker. There will be a hundred of these machines. After certain comparisons to prove accuracy the schedules are permanently preserved in a great iron safe in the census bureau. As the card does not contain the name of the person for whom it stands, all personal identity is eliminated from the cards. All danger of misuse of such information disappears. Severe penalties are provided in case any employee discloses census information to outsiders. The next step is the making of the maps and tables to accompany the analyses and then, finally, the issue of the printed bulletins and reports. Before July 1, 1912, the work must be over and the thirteenth census gone to join its scientific ancestors.

PHILIP DARWIN.

Sixty-first Congress Is In Sight

First Winter Session of the Taft Administration Promises to Be Unusually Active. Forecast of Legislation and Important Appointments.

THE congress that meets Monday, Dec. 6, next, will be the first regular session of the Sixty-first congress. The session that met Monday, March 15, was a special one, called by President Taft to consider the tariff.

The session will be unusually active if it undertakes to carry out the expectations of the president, who returned from the record presidential jaunt Nov. 10. Some of the things outlined by him are the following:

Of first consideration are the conservation of the country's resources and the reclamation of arid lands. The president was evidently impressed in his journey with the earnestness of the west on these propositions.

He will recommend that the government shall reserve some control on the water power sites and the coal lands and phosphates of the country in order that they may not come into the control of any one corporation.

He will ask for legislation for a more rigid enforcement of the antitrust law that it may be more effective.

He will also ask an amendment to the interstate commerce law in order

to give the interstate tribunal more power to prevent the delays which are now incident to appeals to the courts. To do this he will suggest the creation of a special court and have a court that will be charged with the knowledge and practice in regard to railroads, so that whatever comes up may be promptly disposed of.

He will strongly favor a postal savings bank. He hopes that the monetary commission in its report may point out some steps to reform what he regards as nothing but patchwork in that respect. He will recommend an improvement of the legal procedure of the country so as to make it, both in criminal and civil cases, more simple, more rapid and less expensive. To this end he will recommend to congress the appointment of a commission to take up this subject with respect to the federal procedure, and if by the federal procedure satisfactory results are achieved it will form a model for the states.

What other matters may be recommended remains to be seen, but those mentioned are full of live interest, and some of them will bring the two wings

of the president's party face to face. While President Taft is of a sunny and optimistic temperament, he is an everlasting worker and will doubtless show that he can be as vigilant as was the late President Cleveland.

In addition to recommendations to congress, President Taft will have other important matters to consider. Appointments that concern the country are to be considered very soon, but it is indicated that they will not be made before the new year. A minister to China will probably come first, growing out of the recall of Charles R. Crane. A successor to the late Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Rufus Wheeler Peckham is to be selected. In all probability an ambassador to the court of St. James will be named before long to succeed Ambassador Whitelaw Reid. An assistant secretary in the department of commerce and labor is to be named.

The Republican majority in the senate will be reduced by one on account of the appointment of Fountain L. Thompson of North Dakota to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Martin L. Johnson, which occurred after the

adjournment of the special session. Johnson was a Republican. Thompson is a Democrat. His appointment to fill the vacancy was made Nov. 10 by Governor Burke, who is a Democrat. Thompson is one of the leaders of his party in his state, but his onetime holding has been confined to county offices. In the lower house a new representative will take the place of William Lorimer of Chicago, who was elected United States senator last spring by the Illinois legislature. However, the Republicans will continue to have a majority in both branches.

Practically a new face in the lower house will be James H. Cassidy, elected last April to succeed Theodore E. Burton, who was elected United States senator from Ohio last winter. Burton had represented the district in Ohio comprised of the city of Cleveland. Cassidy was elected to succeed him last April. He was present during a part of the special session and had the distinction of being the youngest representative.

The re-election of Speaker Cannon at the beginning of the special session does away with an exciting and interesting event that usually comes before the lower house of a new congress.

The new executive offices will be the most spacious yet provided for a chief magistrate of the United States. Since August workmen have been adding to the old executive offices of the White House proper. The new addition is built over the old Roosevelt tennis court. The court lay just outside of the old presidential offices, and it was there that "tennis cabinet" composed of the younger members of the administration, took their exercise. The cost of the new offices, combined with the cost of the offices erected during the administration of President Roosevelt, will represent an actual outlay of about \$100,000, exclusive of the cost of tearing down the old building preparatory to erecting the new addition.

Three new men in the administration circle will be Mr. Lee McClure, recently appointed treasurer of the United States by President Taft; C. D. Norton, a late accession to the treasury department, as an assistant secretary, and Professor A. P. Andrews, director of the mint.

For a number of years multimillionaires of the land have been gravitating toward Washington as a residential city during the winter and early spring. Every year it has been becoming more and more a city of magnificent homes. More than 150 mansions of imposing architecture, with furnishings in accord with the exterior, have added to the beauty of the capital in the last few years. One approaching completion is that of Mrs. S. W. Wyeth on Massachusetts avenue. Its style is of Louis XVI. design, and the interior decorations are most elaborate and unique. It is only one of many. The broad avenues that radiate from the capitol building are miles of mansions such as few cities can present.

HOMER RIVERS.

Governors Called to Washington

Conference of State Executives to Discuss Conservation Matters—Scope of the House of Governors Proposed by William George Jordan.

IN his speech at Memphis, Tenn., Oct. 26, while he was on route to New Orleans, President Taft extended an invitation to the twenty-two governors who were accompanying him down the river to attend a third conference of governors at Washington in December of this year.

The first conference of governors occurred at the national capital May 13, 1908. Of the number invited thirty-two reported. New Mexico, Arizona, Alaska, Hawaii and Porto Rico were also represented. Others came in later.

The second conference was held in Washington, Dec. 8, 1908. Mr. Taft as president elect was there, as were also representatives from Canada.

The conference next month is for the purpose of taking up the questions discussed at the previous conferences—conserving the natural resources of the country by preserving the forests, irrigating arid lands and improving the waterways. In referring to the omission of congress to make any appropriation for the meeting of the governors President Taft told the governors at Memphis that they need not stay away on that account, as the White House hatchling would be where every governor could put his hand on it.

The National Civic federation will be in session next month in Washington, and the president said he would like the governors to meet the civics and get acquainted.

The idea of a conference of governors did not originate with President Roosevelt, but was the aftermath of a proposition made by William George Jordan, formerly editor of the Saturday Evening Post, in 1907. The Jordan idea was more far-reaching than the conferences already mentioned, and it is not to be confounded with the meetings held in Washington. Mr. Jordan communicated his idea to President Roosevelt, who soon thereafter called the conferences held during his administration. The Jordan suggestion was for a house of governors, and it is so denominated in the pamphlet issued by him in 1907. The scope of the institution proposed by Mr. Jordan is stated concisely in his pamphlet as follows:

"It is proposed that the governors of the forty-six states meet annually for a session of two or three weeks to discuss, consult and confer on vital questions affecting the welfare of the states, the unifying of state laws and the closer unity of the states as a nation. The house of governors would have no lawmaking power, nor should it ever aspire to such power. Its force would be in initiative, in inspiration and in influence. The governors would seek to unite on a general basis of action

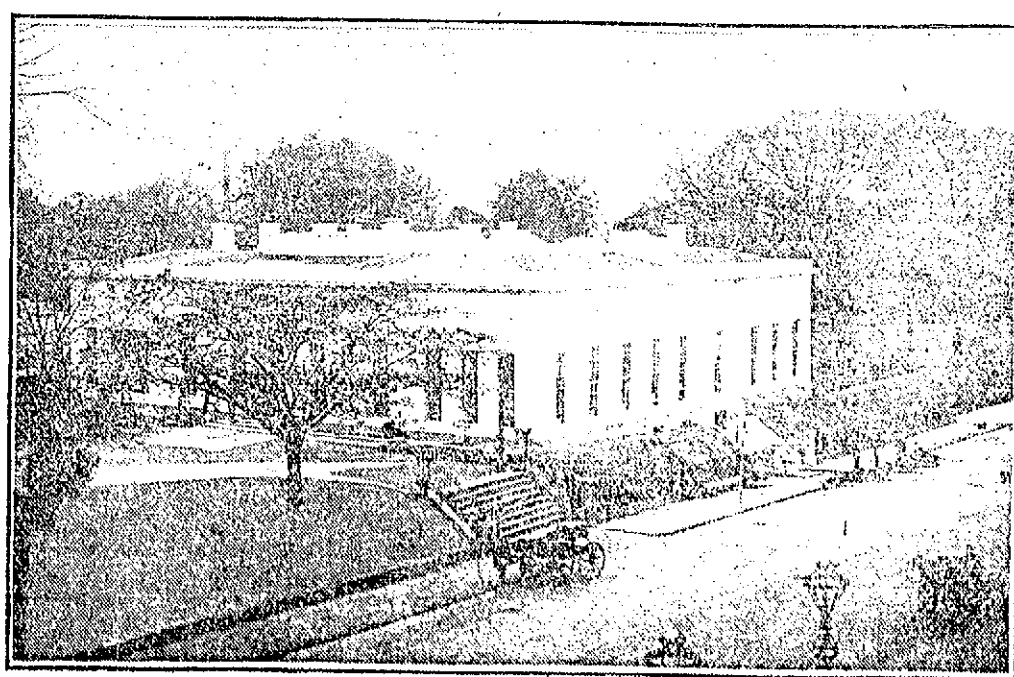


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WILLIAM GEORGE JORDAN.

on great questions to be submitted to the legislatures of the respective states. In the governors' messages, Charles E. Smith, an august, dignified body of forty-six governors, representing their states, with the lawmaking power of forty-six legislatures behind them, should in time become an inherent part in the American idea of self-government and a powerful factor for good in the nation."

It is also the Jordan idea that the meetings of the house of governors shall be annual and that the place of the meeting shall not be in Washington, but successively in state capitals selected by vote of the house or by decision of a committee. It also suggests that the president of the United States have no part in the meetings. Mr. Jordan's proposition was referred to an executive committee of



NEW WHITE HOUSE OFFICE BUILDING.

PRESIDENT ZELAYA WOMAN ON TRIAL

Makes Conditional Offer of Re-tirement From Office She is Charged With Murdering Her Husband

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—President Zelaya has made overtures to the revolutionists intimating his willingness to retire from the presidency of Nicaragua provided the congress be allowed to select a provisional president in his stead.

This news comes from the United States consulate at Bluefields and was sent late Sunday night.

It was further said that the belligerent rights by the central government or by foreign powers in no way involves the recognition of the rebellious government as a separate political organization, but only implies that the laws of war are to prevail in the military operations undertaken for the purpose of suppressing the rebellion and restoring the supremacy of the national government.

While the facts are not quite so clear as to the Nicaraguan situation it is understood that a state of armed insurrection arose in Nicaragua which had reached the stage of actual war.

The fact he understood it seems clear that the insurrection has reached such a stage as to entitle the insurgents and those regularly associated with them in such operations to be regarded as prisoners of war upon capture.

The convention signed at The Hague, July 19, 1909, in respect to conduct of war on land to which it is understood Nicaragua subsequently declared its adhesion, provides that all armed belligerent parties shall have the right to be treated as prisoners of war and to be humanely treated.

On the question of the status of American citizens who have been identified with the insurgents by enlisting or accepting commissions in their forces, participating with them in open hostilities against the government, it is said there can be no question that they are equally entitled to humane treatment as prisoners of war upon capture.

These views it is believed are shared by the officials of the state department who have no doubt of the unlawfulness of the killing of Cannon and Groce, and whatever action may hereafter be taken with respect to indemnity or otherwise will be based on this theory.

NEWARK, N. J., Nov. 30.—Charging that she murdered her husband, Frank Wilhelm, a wealthy contractor, the state today placed Mrs. Mary J. Wilhelm on trial for her life. Nicholas Sien, a real estate dealer of this city, jointly indicted with her for the crime, was accorded a separate trial. Wilhelm was found shot to death in the basement of his home on Feb. 1 last. Police discovery of alleged friendship between Mrs. Wilhelm and Sien led to an investigation of the movements of both on the day of the murder and to their indictment.

The case was strangely complicated shortly after the murder by the appearance of a New York woman claiming to be the legal wife of the slain man, who she alleged had deserted her several years before. Her claim, Wilhelm's property is said to have been compromised with the woman prisoner placed on trial today.

CHOOSING JURY BRITISH CABINET

For Trial of Sugar Trust Discussed Form of the King's Speech

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—When the trial of James F. Beudenberg, former manager of the American Sugar Refining Co.'s Williamsburg plant and the five other former employees of the company accused with him of sugar underpricing, was resumed today before Judge Martin in the United States circuit court, all impending action had been disposed of and but one seat in the jury box remained unfilled.

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FURNITURE MOVING—Hugh McGrohan, furniture and piano mover, also dealer in wood and coal. Office, 353 Broadway. Telephone 747; residence 63 Chestnut st.

RAZORS HONED AND CONCAVED, saw filing, key fitting, clippers sharpened. Harry Gonzales, 123 Cor. Tel. 562-2.

THE SUN IN BOSTON.—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union Station in Boston. Don't forget when taking your train for Lowell.

PENSIONS
Quarterly pay, Dec. 1, 1909. Bring your papers to No. 50, Room 4, Present street. Quick Service. If you can't come, send your papers to No. 50, Room 4, Present street. Wm. A. Arnold, Pension Claim Agent.

LOST AND FOUND
SUN OF MONEY lost Monday morning between John st. and Carpet mill. Finder rewarded by returning same to 8 Mill st.

BLACK AND BUFF ANGORA CAT, tiger striped, lost. Return to 423 Dutton st. Reward.

GOLD CHAIN and metal lost, between Central and Bridge st., Nov. 26. Return to The Sun office.

BOSTON MIXED BULL DOG lost, white head and one side of face. Answers to name of Vester. 4 mos. old. Reward for return to Richmond st.

TWO HARRIS HOUND PUPS lost Saturday, one dog and collar. Reward for return to 23 Prince st.

BEAGLE HOUND, bitch and pups, for sale. Call at 75 Fort Hill ave. after 6 p. m.

HUNCH OF KEYS lost. Owner's name. Call ice houses, 7 a. m. to 6 p. m.

MONEY TO LOAN
NOTES OF SALARIED PEOPLE and women accepted, and all other loans without security, easy payments. Offices in 56 principal cities. Loans received by mislending. Terms of others, then save money by trading here. D. H. Tolman, Room 28, 46 Merrimack st.

Before making a loan there are two things to be considered. First, be sure you do not jeopardize your security or peace of mind. All companies guarantee these things in their advertisements but when you make a loan it is only meant to draw attention to their line of business, and investigate for himself the methods of the firm with whom he intends to deal. Our methods are open to any investigation.

AMERICAN LOAN CO.
AGENTS, Room 10, 4th floor, 111 Central st., Merrimack st.

Do you have small outstanding bills? If so, come to us. We will buy them at 10% discount. We will pay you with money to pay them off at our 10% discount. Monthly, returnable in small installments to suit your ability.

LOANS
Made on short notice without collateral, for salaried people, merchants, housewives and others. Plans and furniture a specialty. If not convenient to call, write or phone, and we will have our representative call on you.

Merrimack Loan Co.
Room 3, 81 Merrimack st.
Hours: 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.
Monday and Saturday until 9 p. m.

TO LET

THREE FOUR-ROOM FLATS to let at 55 Elm st., on front part of house, new and warm for winter, \$175 per week. Apply to Joseph Flynn, 50 Elm st.

HOUSE OF 12 ROOMS to let, entire new plumbing, newly painted and carpeted. 60 Tyler st. Inquire at A. W. Dows & Co., cor. Merrimack and Central st.

FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED ROOMS to let, singly or en suite, at 135 Liberty st.

TENEMENT TO LET on upper Pleasant st., gas, bath, hot and cold water, storm windows, cemented cellar, central heating, in the forenoon, at 281 Concord st.

GOOD TENEMENT to let at a low rent at 435 Moody st., handy to mills and business.

UPSTAIRS FLAT of 5 rooms to let, pantry and bath. Inquire 37 Smith st.

SIXTY, ROOM FLAT to let at 61 Hampshire st. in the best of repair. Rent reasonable. Apply at 65 Hamp. shire st.

ROOMS TO LET with or without board, home cooking and everything first class. Apply 83 Westford st.

ROOM FLAT, to let, with bath, 3 stories, 250, Whipple st. Inquire on the premises.

STORE AND TENEMENT of three rooms to let. Suitable for barber, at 86 Concord st. Apply Hogan Bros., 92 Fort Hill st.

ROOM FLAT to let, just finished, modern improvements, on Fort st. Apply Hogan Bros., 92 Concord st.

GOOD TENEMENT to let at a low rent in Brown's block, Marshall st. Key at No. 4.

SIX NEW APARTMENTS to let on Essex st. in the best of repair, with steam heat and electric lighting. Hardwood floors throughout. Apply 22 Essex st. Tel. 1409.

NEW 4-ROOM FLAT to let, modern in every way. 31 Foster st. Inquire at 61 Foster st.

UNFURNISHED ROOM, barn and outhouse to let, at 60 Humphrey st. Could be let separately. Inquire at 173 Charles st.

ROOM COTTAGE to let, shed, gas, large yard, at 35 West Fifth ave., Paw. lockville, near Woodworth ave. Inquire at 47.

NICE SUNNY TENEMENT to let for the winter. In the best of repair, three and five rooms each, at \$1.50 to \$2.25 per week. Tel. 11 Elliott, 64 Central st.

COSY LITTLE FLAT of five rooms to let in the best of repair, with all modern improvements, \$14 per month. Tel. 11 Elliott, 64 Central st.

ROOM TENEMENT to let in Paw. lockville, gas, bath, hot water, open plumbing, sewer connection. Apply 89 Vanam ave. or Tel. 1913-1.

NEWLY FURNISHED and unfurnished rooms to let, suitable for light housekeeping, steam heat. At 75 East Merrimack st.

FLAT OF 5 ROOMS to let on East Main st., near Alder st. All modern improvements. Rent \$15. Apply at the Real Estate market, 107 East Merrimack st.

OFFICES TO LET in Associated Bldg. Light, bright and airy, overlooking Merrimack square. Rent reasonable. Inquire at The Sun office.

ROOM FLAT to let, bath, separate front and back doors, inquiry 625 East Merrimack st.

ROOM COTTAGE to let, bath, hard. wood floors and all modern conveniences. In the best of repair, with all modern improvements. Rent \$15. Apply at 11, near two car lines and has ample yard room. Inquire 11 Laurel st.

ROOM TENEMENT to let, with gas, bath, hot water. Tel. 11 Dickey, 64 Central st.

SUITE OF ROOMS in the Harrington building, 62 Central st., to let. Inquire at The Sun office.

SPRINKLED ROOMS to let, new and improved, in the best of repair, with all modern conveniences. Tel. 11 Dickey, 64 Central st.

STORE TO LET cor Broadway and Wills st. Inquire O'Brien's drug store.

Large Livery Stable
at 482 Merrimack st., to let. Has 21 stalls, large carriage room, large yard. All in good shape. Rent reasonable. Inquire of George Huxson, 25 Adams st. Tel. 1235-1.

TO LET
Lodging House of 27 Rooms
Middlesex Street
APPLY TO
HENRY MILLER & SON
WYMAN'S EXCHANGE

SITUATIONS WANTED
WORK WANTED by the day, by person capable of cleaning through gentlemen's establishments. References. Address A. C. R., Sun Office.

SITUATION WANTED by young man holding a business degree, of Cambridge, Mass. Apply F. C. H., North Billerica, Mass.

POSITION WANTED as cook, kitchen or chamber work. Please call at 109 Cheever st.

RESPECTABLE WOMAN wants washing or cleaning to do by the day or hour. Inquire at 46 Cross st., near Adams st.

SITUATION WANTED, to care for an invalid or aged person. No objection to a case of insanity. Address 433 Merrimack st., Lowell, Mass.

GENERAL HOUSEWORK wanted, or caring for children, by middle-aged woman. Inquire 1 in rear of 175 Fayette st.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Alonzo J. Guild, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for probate, by Charles J. Guild, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, without requiring securities on his part, and to some other suitable person, the executor named in said will having declined to accept the trust.

You are hereby cited to appear at said Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first day of December, A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in a copy of the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in said County, on the first day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Justice of the Peace, in and for said County of Middlesex, on the fourth day of November, A. D. 1909, at Lowell, in said County.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary A. McNamara, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Francis McNamara, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

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HELP WANTED
ALL ROUND MAN wanted in making room, on boys and youths' shoes, for the winter season. Apply at Hoyt's, 123 A st.

THREE STRONG MEN wanted at once. Apply Mr. Meagher, St. Patrick's cemetery.

ONE HEALER wanted on boys' shoes. Apply Federal Shoe Co., Dix street.

HEADERS WANTED on shoes. We pay the highest prices of any house. Haverhill Beading Co., removed to 629 School st., Lowell, Mass.

EXPERIENCED TABLE GIRL wanted, 50 Central st.

EXPERIENCED DRESSER, packer and two girls wanted for a rooming house. Apply Federal Shoe Co., Dix st.

AN ELDERLY WOMAN wanted to take care of child. Apply at Sun Office.

WOMEN HAVING SPARE TIME who would like pleasant outdoor work, write P. T. Z., Sun Office.

COMPETENT COTTON MACHINE FITTERS wanted to erect machinery for the Lowell Cotton Co. For stating experience, P. O. Box 673, Pawtucket, R. I.

AGENTS WANTED—Self-lighting Gas Mantle, guaranteed to work absolutely perfect, at reasonable figures. For full particulars, call on Mr. Egan, 155 Commercial st., Boston, or write to W. E. Rogers, 123 Liberty st., N. Y.

WANTED
GOOD SECOND HAND FURNITURE of all kinds wanted. Highest prices paid. W. E. Rogers, 531 Dutton st. Tel. 1975-1.

ALL PERSONS WANTED to buy their coal, coke, mill kindling, slab, hard wood and dry maple for fireplace. W. T. Gilman's, 157 Appleton st. Tel. 663.

FAMILY WASHING and ironing done at 24 Smith st. for 75c.

CHILDREN WANTED to board. Terms reasonable. Nelson, R. F. D., Hildene.

I PAY THE HIGHEST PRICE in cash for any kind of second hand furniture, old or new, or for any kind of real estate, or for any kind of business. Call on or send postal W. F. Rogers, 123 Liberty st., N. Y.

MISCELLANEOUS
MADAM DREYER.—The world's greatest palmist, will give 50 readings for 25c the hour, at 102 Bridge st., in rear, opposite Third st. Office hours, 5 to 10.

NOON'S HAIR STAIN, 25c, 50c. Dows, Osgood's, Suffolk st., Opera House Pharmacy.

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EXTRA

POLICE AT WORK

Report of Plot to Assassinate John D. Rockefeller

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 30.—Acting upon information given by a man who said he overheard a conversation in which plans to assassinate John D. Rockefeller were discussed, East Cleveland police guards Forest Hill the oil magnate's home, all night. Several suspicious men were ordered away from the place. The police of Cleveland and other towns in this vicinity are working on the matter. The information was given by Sawyer Smith of Minerva, Mo., who claims to have heard the plot being hatched by two men at Alliance, O., Sunday night. Smith said he overheard two men in

KILLED BY AUTO

Woonsocket Milkman Was Run Over by Machine

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Nov. 30.—Leroy C. Jilson, a milkman, aged 28, unmarried, was run over by an automobile on Main street this morning. He died at the Woonsocket hospital at 11.35. The chauffeur, Lawrence P. Fahy, was not arrested. He presented himself to the chief of police this afternoon.

THE FIEDLER CASE SEVERAL KILLED

Taken Under Advice In Railroad Wreck at Chicago

Arguments in the case of J. A. E. Gaurin against Paul R. Fiedler, which was heard before Judge Hadley in police court today, were concluded at 3.50 o'clock this afternoon and Judge Hadley said he would take the matter under advisement for a week and that on next Wednesday he would give the lawyers in the case a chance to argue on the law relative to the loss sustained.

BISHOP HENDRICK DEAD

MANILA, Nov. 30.—Bishop Thomas Hendrick, head of the Roman Catholic diocese of Cebu, died here today. The Rev. Thomas Hendrick was the first Roman Catholic bishop of the diocese of Cebu. He was consecrated bishop in Rome in August, 1903, and took possession of the bishopric on March 6th of the following year. Bishop Hendrick was born in Penn. Jan. 1, 1849 and was ordained a priest in 1875. He was regent of the university of the state of New York in 1900-1903.

MAE WOOD CASE

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Ex-Senator Thomas Platt's ill health again today caused a postponement of the trial of Mae C. Wood, accused of forgery and perjury in connection with her recent suit against the former United States senator whom she claimed to have married.

DESTROYED BY FIRE

NEWPORT, R. I., Nov. 30.—The bathing pavilion at Eastons beach, one of the chief resorts of the summer excursionists, was destroyed by fire today.

LEFT GREAT FORTUNE

PARIS, Nov. 30.—A special from Havre today says that Marie Millet, an aged cook, died suddenly, leaving to her heirs a great fortune which had been left her by a brother, a California "forty-niner."

TO KEEP HIS POSITION

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Announcement was made today by Isador H. Hays, minister, designate from Nicaragua, that Doctor Roman who recently arrived in the United States is not to succeed Señor Rodriguez as charge d'affaires of the legation. Dr. Rodriguez, it was stated, will continue in that capacity.

DAVID P. MALONEY, SON OF POLICE OFFICER

Maloney, has entered Villanova college.

EVENING SCHOOL

Several Teachers Have Been Dropped

The evening school attendance continues to shrink. Five teachers were dismissed last week and others will be dismissed this week or next. It will be remembered that the attendance at the beginning of the year, in the elementary evening schools, was 250 or 300 below last year and this was due to the enactment of a new law which went into effect the first of the present year.

Heretofore it was compulsory for those who could not read or write to attend the evening school and the age limit was set at 21. The new law sets the age limit at 18 and now the illiterate who is 18 years or over and who does not care to learn to read or write is free to stay away from evening school. The new law is not a very popular one, especially in mill cities.

The attendance at the evening high school started out stronger this year than last and the attendance is holding out well. The evening drawing school is being well attended and the work that is being done there, especially in the art department, is productive of many favorable comments. The variety of the work being done there is almost astonishing.

BUCKLEY LOST

BY A SCORE OF 75 TO 25 LAST EVENING

One of the most interesting pool matches of the season was held last night in the rooms of the Lowell Military band. James Buckley, the champion, lost his title when Louis Weller defeated him by a great margin. The game was a long one and many difficult shots were made by both men. Although Buckley has defeated everybody he has played, he fell down hard and the crowd greeted the new champion with great cheers. There were about 200 present to witness the game.

REDUCED IN RANK

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—As a result of an investigation of shortages from wine casks and other packages at the Baltimore customs house a shake-up in that end of the service was announced today. The treasury department approved the reduction of John R. Montgomery, superintendent of the bonded warehouse, to a clerkship. Thomas H. Arnold, a clerk of class four, is promoted to succeed Montgomery, and some other changes are made.

BATTLESHIPS DEPART

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Departure of the battleship detachment which had been in the Brooklyn navy yard since the Hudson-Fulton celebration continued today. The battleship Connecticut cleared the harbor in the early afternoon followed soon after by the Nebraska. The gunboat Yankton was another departing war craft. The vessels are bound for the fleet rendezvous at Hampton Roads.

GONE TO HAMPTON ROADS

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 30.—The battleships Kansas and Georgia left the navy yard today for Hampton Roads, where they will join the other ships of the Atlantic fleet for the winter maneuvers in southern waters. Rear Admiral Edwin Wright, who will be in command of the fleet under the new order of things to be put in force in the navy tomorrow, is on board the Georgia.

TO LEAVE CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND, Nov. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. John D. Rockefeller will leave Cleveland for New York late this afternoon. They will spend the early winter at their city residence in New York.

Y.M.C.A. CAMPAIGNA UNITED PARTY

Fund for the New Building is Growing Rapidly

Subscriptions Are Beyond the Expectations of the Promoters—Generous Offer Made by Mr. Shedd—One Half the Amount Needed Has Been Raised Already

The Y. M. C. A. building fund has reached the point beyond the \$50,000 mark, and the long hand on the big clock is making rapid strides toward its destination. The total as announced today is \$79,068, and that is supplemented by the following letter from Mr. F. B. Shedd:

When the hand points to ninety-five advance it to one hundred, with my subscription of five thousand.

This generous offering on the part of Mr. Shedd met with rounds of applause.

The status of the fund after the reports were received at headquarters today is indicated by the following tabulation:

Official total Monday.....\$69,148

Citizens' Committee.....5,105

Business Men's Committee.....3,695

Young Men's Committee.....1,033

Grand total.....\$79,068

The following figures indicate the amounts reported by the teams of the three committees through their captains:

Citizens' Committee, Frederick A. Flather, chairman:

Team No. 01—C. A. Brown, capt. 175

Team No. 02—R. E. Dunbar, capt. 1,555

Team No. 03—A. L. Gray, capt. 655

Team No. 04—J. A. Hunnewell, c. 1,005

Team No. 05—N. G. Norcross, capt. 400

Team No. 06—J. J. Pickman, capt. 203

Team No. 07—H. H. Taylor, capt. 300

Team No. 08—J. A. Stevens, capt. 242

Team No. 09—B. H. Wiggin, capt. 156

Total.....\$5,195

Business Men's Committee, Samuel H. Thompson, chairman:

Team No. 1—P. E. Chaffin, capt. \$100

Team No. 2—S. E. Qua, capt. 257

Team No. 3—J. P. Ramsay, capt. 431

Team No. 4—R. F. Marston, capt. 257

Team No. 5—C. F. Fleming, capt. 1,333

Team No. 6—W. H. G. Wright, capt. 405

Team No. 7—A. E. Hatch, capt. 215

Team No. 8—A. F. Swanton, capt. 340

Team No. 9—Walter Booth, capt. 170

Total.....\$10,335

Young Men's Committee, Walter H. Hoyt, chairman:

Team A—Murray Pratt, capt. \$122

Team B—G. W. Davis, capt. 295

Team C—A. G. Cheney, capt. 50

Team D—H. Stanley, Chrysler, capt. 125

Team E—Theodore Pearson, capt. 74

Team F—Lester Fleming, capt. 183

Team G—Charles Graham, capt. 53

Team H—Fred Howard, capt. 53

Team I—Alvan Barker, capt. 53

Team J—F. L. Knapp, capt. 50

Totals.....\$10,335

The following subscriptions of \$500 and over were announced, and are included in the above total:

Friend.....\$1000

Mrs. T. C. Entwistle.....500

John J. Connell.....500

Jesse H. Shepard.....500

Pratt & Forrest.....500

Bright, Sears & Co.....500

what surprised when Col. John Rogers informed me this morning that he would like to have me come over here and say a few words. I knew him so well, when I was for seventeen years in charge of the public reading rooms where we even at that time thought it would be a great thing if the Y. M. C. A. would have a new building. For with on to thirty years the organization with which I am connected, called the Mathew Temperance Institute, to



CHARLES S. WARD
The Great Y. M. C. A. Building Fund Promoter

together with other organizations has been taking care of the young men of our city, and I am not aware of any other feature so grand, and so noble, as helping it as this movement of the Y. M. C. A. I tell you, gentlemen, it is God's work. It is a noble work and time and time again have we needed your aid and assistance. What an aid! I will be immeasurable! You can't imagine what it will be. And I hope God will bless you in your work and give us the institution that is so badly needed here in Lowell for the young men of our city. An Irishman was asked one day what part of the old country he came from. He said, "Don't be talking about that. There is no more north, nor east, nor west part of Ireland. We're all one and it is Ireland." Yes, we are not Yankees, we are not French, we are not English, we are citizens of Lowell, American citizens, and that is why we want this right here. For seventeen years in charge of the reading room and ten years over yonder, some work certainly has been done in the young men and for the young men, without this great adjunct which will be so strong, it has helped in the past. And willingly have we received the aid and the assistance of the members of the Y. M. C. A. I remember thirty years ago in Ayer's when I was assistant foreman with Theodore Adams we got into a controversy and dispute about Methodists, Unitarians, Universalists, and Baptists. They were all dead on Catholics. If you erect this building it will be a monument to the city of Lowell. We are many thousand strong and we are the young men of Lowell today in the United States in proportion to its population. All I can do and say will be done. I know the time is short and I have spoken too long now, but I am glad to meet you and I wish good luck and God's speed to this movement for a new Y. M. C. A. building."

Charles S. Ward
Charles S. Ward, International secret-

Stands Behind Mr. Meehan, Candidate for Mayor

Hon. James B. Casey Urges All His Friends to Support the Democratic Candidate and Will Tender His Services on the Stump

If any doubt had existed as to whether the democratic party is united in this campaign for mayor or not it should be removed by the interview printed below which a reporter of The Sun had with Hon. James B. Casey, this morning, at the office of the Ideal Comb company in Ayer City.

Since the caucuses the supporters of the republican candidate have been shouting that the democrats were not united and that Mr. Casey and his friends would not support Mr. Meehan. Believing that the best way to put an end to such talk was to interview Mr. Casey himself a reporter of The Sun asked the former mayor this morning what his attitude was in the coming campaign.

The ex-mayor's answer was both prompt and frank and was as follows: There is only one attitude that I will assume in this campaign, and that is to accord to the democratic candidate for mayor my earnest and loyal support, with the hope that he will be successful at the polls election day.

I recognize that whatever political success I have achieved in this city, the foundation for such success was laid by the democratic party, and therefore, I shall always feel obligated to support its nominee for mayor, whoever he may be.

It is essential that the party be united in order to win a victory. It is useless to deny the fact that such a condition has not existed in the past, and this opposition has profited thereby.

That the opposition hopes to do so this year is already common talk. It is true that I have been honored with representing a majority of the democratic party upon more than one occasion in the past.

It is equally true that a minority element in the party after participating in the primaries has failed to accept in the right spirit, the choice of a no uncertain majority.

If the party is to be united this year, its unity is dependent upon that majority element of the party which has supported me in previous campaigns and not the minority.

I, therefore, urge every man and friend of mine who has loyally supported me in other campaigns to do the same for Mr. Meehan's candidacy this year. They will feel the better for it, after they have deposited their ballot, for there is a contentment of mind and a clearer conscience for the man who so acts. To do otherwise will serve no good purpose and permit the victory of a chief executive whose administrative acts should have disillusioned the public by this time.

In further reply to your question as to my attitude, I will say that if the party candidates feel that I can be of any assistance upon the stump I am at their service, and I sincerely hope that Mr. Meehan will be the next mayor of Lowell.

EIGHT MEN IMPRISONED

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 30.—Eight men were imprisoned in a cave-in and fire today in one of the several copper mines of the Tennessee Copper Co. at Copper Hill, Tenn. Oxygen supplies and other mine rescue paraphernalia were sent from here to the mine by special train. The fire is under control and the imprisoned men are thought to be alive.

tary of the Y. M. C. A., has raised \$10,000,000 and built 40 new buildings inspiring thousands of workers with enthusiasm while he was doing it. It was he who put through the Boston campaign for \$500,000 with such success a few weeks ago.

Candidate Meehan at Headquarters

Mr. John F. Meehan, democratic candidate for mayor, was one of the attendants at the lunch at the Y. M. C. A. headquarters this noon and received an unexpected reception. Mr. Meehan had got the enthusiasm and went up on an individual to partake of the noonday lunch. He had hardly entered the hall when he was recognized by those who were personally acquainted and was at once introduced all around. The cordial greeting given him was entirely unexpected and hence all the more pleasant to the recipient.

Y. M. C. A. Subscription Card

\$1.....Lowell, Mass.....1909
For the purpose of erecting a building for the Lowell Young Men's Christian association and in consideration of the subscription of others, I promise to pay to the treasurer of the Lowell Young Men's Christian association

Payable as follows: One-fourth Jan. 1st, 1910; one-fourth July 1st, 1910; one-fourth Jan. 1st, 1911; one-fourth July 1st, 1911.

Address.....
Or will pay in full on.....

Contributors to the Y. M. C. A. fund may have practically two years in which to pay the pledge. As indicated above, the payments may be made quarterly, at intervals of six months, the first not being due until next January, or they can be made when convenient within the time limit.

Archbishop Ireland's Letter

The presiding chairman, Mr. Flather, read the following letter at the luncheon today. It was from Archbishop Ireland of St. Paul, and addressed to Mr. Arthur B. Driscoll, president of the St. Paul's Young Men's Christian association.

"I beg leave to offer a subscription of \$250.00 in favor of the Young Men's Christian association of St. Paul. The Young Men's Christian association in its labors in St. Paul, so far as my observation permit me to judge, has directed itself of sectarian purposes and color; and I am assured by some of the leading members of the association that it is its firm intention to continue on these lines.

On the other hand, its social and humanitarian work is being neglected. I have leave to offer a subscription of \$250.00 in favor of the Young Men's Christian association of St. Paul.

Make Us Prove It
Examine, Glasses furnished. Best in Lowell.
Crawell Optical Co., 11 Bridge St.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

CON.—The funeral of the late Patrick W. Cox will take place Wednesday morning from his late home, 31 Fern street, at 8.30 o'clock. Funeral mass of requiem at St. Patrick's church at 10 o'clock. C. H. Molloy & Sons in charge.

LOOKS LIKE A STRIKE

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 30.—Nothing but a surrender by the Switchmen's Union of North America or the unexpected concession by the railroads to the switchmen's demands can prevent a strike of the switchmen of all northwestern railroads at 6 o'clock this evening.

At the present time there is no hope of concessions by the railroads. "We will fight," is the expression used by President Hill of the Great Northern railroad. He said:

"We carried the men that a cut in pay. Every five years or so we have to meet this question and it's time now to settle it."

President Hawley of the switchmen's union declares the demands of the men reasonable. They ask for an advance of six cents per hour and double pay for all Sunday work and overtime in excess of ten hours.

INDEPENDENCE FOR PHILIPPINES

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Independence for the Philippines and Porto Rico was the principle recited at the Anti-Imperialist league at its 11th annual meeting held here. Both President Mendenhall and Secretary Winslow who have been leaders in the movement since its inception at the close of the Spanish-American war and who were re-elected today declared that the league should devote every possible effort to resist the establishment of a colonial department and urged the Philippines to persist in demanding independence by preserving order and showing their fitness for self government.

Among the vice presidents elected today were Andrew Carnegie, Samuel L. Clemens, William D. Howells, Lieut. General Miles and Mrs. Jane Adams.

THE COPLEY MEDAL

LONDON, Nov. 30.—American Ambassador Field today accepted on behalf of the recipient the Copley medal awarded by the Royal Society to Thomas W. Lillie, the astronomer and author of "The Astronomer's Story."

Could Hardly Hear

Senses of Taste and Smell were Also Greatly Impaired

"I was afflicted with catarrh," writes Eugene Forber, Lebanon, Kansas. "I took several different medicines, giving each a fair trial, but grew worse until I could hardly hear, taste or smell. I was about to give up in despair, but concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. After taking three bottles of this medicine I was cured, but decided to take two more, and have not had any return of the disease."

Hood's Sarsaparilla effects radical and permanent cures of catarrh. Get it today. In usual liquid form or tablets called Sarsapills, 100 doses \$1.00.

DON'T GRUNT DO YOUR STUNT

Help Keep the Clock Hands Moving

The Lowell Electric Light Corp.
50 Central St.

Mechanics Savings Bank
Quarter Day Saturday, Dec. 4

SAVINGS DEPT.
Traders Nat. Bank
INTEREST
BEGINS
December 3rd.

6 O'CLOCK

THE MEDICAL CASE

For Alleged Larceny of Medicine
Before Police Court

The case of Paul R. Fiedler, of Methuen, charged with the larceny of 422 bottles of Matthews' Syrup of Tar and Cod Liver Oil from Joseph Routhier and Adolphe Delisle, of the Lowell pharmacy, which was opened on Wednesday of last week, came up on continuation this morning in the police court.

According to the complaint it is alleged that the defendant entered into a transaction whereby he was to give them Gauvin's syrup in exchange for Matthews' syrup. The druggists claim that they carried out their part of the bargain, but that the defendant instead of giving them Gauvin's gave them a substitute. The alleged substitution was not known to Messrs. Routhier and Delisle until Mr. J. A. E. Gauvin, the manufacturer of the original syrup, called their attention to the fact. Mr. Gauvin is the complainant in the case.

Messrs. A. O. Hamel and William H. Bent appeared for the government and the defendant was represented by Lawyer W. J. Bradley of Lawrence.

Contention of Counsel

Before any witnesses had been called Lawyer Bradley stated to the court that he had tried to have the counsel for the commonwealth state the specific act that the commonwealth intended to rely upon, but that the request had not been granted. Mr. Bradley then filed a motion with the court, which requested that the specific date be made known to him.

Lawyer Bent argued that it would be impossible to specify the date and amount of syrup taken. He said that he felt that all he was required to show was the time when the general agreement was made.

According to the complaint it is alleged that Fiedler and Routhier & Delisle entered into an agreement whereby the former was to supply the firm with Gauvin's Syrup and Routhier & Delisle were to give him Matthews' Syrup. It is further alleged that while the agreement was made at one time, goods were exchanged from time to time in varying quantities. Referring to the complaint Lawyer Bradley said that he felt that he was entitled to know the dates of the alleged "from time to time" transactions.

Lawyer Bent insisted that it would be almost impossible to give the different dates on which the transactions were made, and all that was necessary was to stipulate the date of the first transaction.

Mr. Bradley said that there was no criminal act committed until the goods were delivered on agreement.

Judge Hadley stated that he would rule that each delivery constituted a separate and distinct offense, but as the complaint included but one count, that the government should indicate the particular occasion when the offense was committed.

Mr. Bent said that all he claimed was one offense under the entire transaction.

Judge Hadley ruled that the government should stipulate the specific date that they relied upon.

Mr. Bent said that the government relied on the first delivery.

Mr. Routhier, of the firm of Routhier & Delisle, who testified Wednesday was recalled and in answer to questions testified that he was unable to give the dates of the transactions that he had with Fiedler.

He also admitted that despite the fact that he had been notified to bring his books into court he had not done so. Witness said that he had looked through the books and found that they did not show any entries of transactions with Fiedler.

William W. Cutler, of the Eastern Drug Co., of Boston, said that his firm had purchased Gauvin's syrup from time to time and from different people. Witness said that he did not know Fiedler and when Fiedler was pointed out to him he said that he did not remember ever seeing the defendant here last Wednesday.

John J. Jackson, formerly superintendent of cemeteries of this city, but now a salesman for Fiedler Bros. of Lawrence, testified that he had sold Gauvin's syrup to a Mr. Picard, a grocer in Moody street, this city. He said two dozen bottles of the syrup to Mr. Picard for \$5. Witness said that the syrup came from Fiedler Bros.

Witness also testified that he sold syrup to a Mr. Desrosiers in Lakewood avenue and Dupin, the druggist, who has a place in Aiken street.

Chrysologue Picard, who conducts a grocery store in Moody street, testified that he purchased syrup from Mr. Jackson and further testified relative to Mr. Gauvin calling at his store subsequent to the time he purchased the syrup from Mr. Jackson. Witness also purchased some syrup purporting to be Gauvin's syrup from Routhier & Delisle.

J. A. E. Gauvin was recalled and testified that he sold his preparation for \$1.50 per dozen and that if a person purchased a dozen of it that it would not be sold for less. Later, however, he admitted that he sold a gross of his syrup to the defendant for \$17.85 per gross, which is \$3.75 less per gross than witness first stated he sold his preparation for.

Court took recess at 12:45 o'clock, and the session was resumed at 2 o'clock. Immediately after the reopening of court Lawyer Bent rested the government case.

No defense was offered. Lawyer Bradley argued at considerable length, quoting the law and stating that he had looked up the law very carefully and found no case in the books similar to the present one that came under the head of criminal cases. He said that if the complainant wanted redress, that it could not come through the criminal court, that it should be in the court of equity.

At the conclusion of Mr. Bradley's argument Mr. Bent addressed the court.

HIS CHILD WIFE

Had Young Man in Court for Neglect

JUDGE HADLEY CALLED THEM CHILDREN

And Appealed to Officer Slattery to See If He Could Do Something to Harmonize Matters

"Here's a couple of children who went away and got married; see what you can do for them," said Judge Hadley to Probation Officer Slattery in police court this morning when he turned Arthur Desrosiers and the latter's wife, Gertrude, over to the man who is generally called upon to settle the majority of marital troubles that come before the local court.

The young couple are just out of their teens and have been married less than seven months, but the wife complained that the husband did nothing towards supporting her and as a last resort she had to apply to the court for a warrant for his arrest.

Mrs. Desrosiers said that her husband never gave her any money, but a little later said, "He did give me ten cents for an occasion." Continuing, she said: "He has been getting \$2 a day and after we got married he had a store book, but after having it for about a month and refusing to pay the man, even though he had the money in his pocket, the book was taken away from him and he was refused credit."

On Saturdays and Sundays I have had something to eat, but he was a case of starve during the remainder of the week. When I complained to him of being cold, there being no wood or coal in the house, he has told me that if I wished to keep warm that I could stay in bed."

Probation Officer Slattery, after giving the English husband a little sound advice, gave him a chance to do better, but in the event of not doing so Desrosiers was given to understand that he would find himself in jail.

A Wayward Man

Cornelius J. Donovan admitted that he was drunk when arrested yesterday. Patrolman Alexander McQuigley informed the court that he had seen the young man drunk two and three times a week for some time past, and furthermore that when he was under the influence of liquor he went home and that his neighbors of the household and that his father were anxious that he be sent away until he will be able to do better. He was given a sentence to the Massachusetts reformatory.

Other Offenders

Edward Morris, charged with drunkenness, was sent to jail until Saturday morning in order that he might get time to think it over.

John E. Bulmer said he wasn't drunk. Special Officer Briggs said that John was drunk. Judge Hadley said John was on parole, and Judge Hadley said continue the case until tomorrow, which means that this afternoon the prisoner will be on his way back to Bridgewater.

Michael Sullivan and Alexander Savigneau, drunks, were each fined \$5.

CHARLES S. SMITH DEAD

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Charles S. Smith, one of the last of the old line merchant princes who laid the foundations of the fortunes before the Civil war, died at his home today of pleurisy. He was 77 years old. Mr. Smith was born in Exeter, N. H., and began business as a boy of 15 in a wholesale dry goods house. He retired from active business in 1887, but remained a director of the Fifth Avenue bank of New York, of which he was one of the founders, the Fourth National, the Merchants National and the Greenwich Savings bank, and a member of the executive of the chamber of commerce.

CITY CONTRACTS

AWARDED AT THE PURCHASING AGENT'S OFFICE

The following contracts have been awarded at the office of the purchasing agent: For health department, 500 bushels of oats, Wilder & Wotton; barrel of turpentine for school department, Adams Hardware company; barrel Unseed oil for school department, John C. Bennett; ten barrels of sugar for the city farm, Caleb Smith. Contracts for three cars of hay for the fire department and twenty-five cords of wood for the wood yard have not been decided yet.

FUNERAL NOTICES

KEEFE.—The funeral of Mrs. Ellen M. Tomlinson, nee Wells, will take place Thursday morning from the home of her mother, 5 Madison place, at 8 o'clock. High mass of requiem at St. Peter's at 9 o'clock. Funeral in charge of John P. Rogers.

RYAN.—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Ryan will take place Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, No. 773 Westford street. A solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. J. E. O'Donnell & Sons, undertakers.

HENNESSEY.—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Hennessey will take place Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, No. 40 By street, and at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church. Undertakers J. E. O'Donnell & Sons.

REID.—The funeral of Thomas E. Reid will take place Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock from the home, No. 69 Swift street, and at 9:30 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church. Undertakers J. E. O'Donnell & Sons.

MALONEY.—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Maloney will take place Wednesday morning at 8:45 o'clock from her home, No. 55 Clifford street, and at 10:15 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church. Undertakers J. E. O'Donnell & Sons.

BURNER.—Died, Nov. 28th, in this city, Joseph C. Burner, aged 41 years, at his late residence, 17 Grand street. His wife and three children, Emma, Joseph and Frank, The funeral will be held Wednesday morning at 7:30 o'clock from the residence, 17 Grand street. High mass of requiem will be celebrated at the church of Notre Dame de Lourdes, at 8 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Joseph's cemetery. Under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey in charge.

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GERMAN EMPEROR CITY SOLICITOR

Opened Reichstag With a Speech Says All Boarding Housekeepers Are Not Common Victuallers

BERLIN, Nov. 30.—Emperor William opened the reichstag today by personally reading the speech from the throne. The speech dealt largely with domestic legislation and contained the important announcement that the government had prepared a measure extending the sick benefit insurance to the working class, not heretofore protected, and creating a system of insurance for the dependent relatives of deceased workers.

One of the principal tasks of the government, the emperor said, was to fortify the financial position of the empire with the means provided by the finance bill of the last session and this task would be accomplished through the appropriation bill for 1910.

"Our possessions over sea, in Africa and the South seas," said the emperor, "are developing well. The growth of their own incomes will relieve the empire considerably of colonial expenses. The increase in the working population in the wealth of the protected districts make reform in the legal system necessary."

Reference was made in the speech to the triple alliance.

"I nourish with confidence," said his majesty, "the hope that the three allied empires will continue to act together, using their strength for the welfare of their peoples and the maintenance of peace."

The opening of the reichstag today was as brilliant as usual. None of the socialist members was present.

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Board of Police, Lowell, Mass.

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In order to "assume" to be a "common victualler" a person, it would appear, must hold himself out to the public as ready at all times to furnish food to strangers and travelers—to transient guests. One who does this cannot carry on his business without a license from the board of police or without actually being prepared to entertain such guests. All boarding house keepers are not "common victuallers," though some may be. It all depends upon the attitude they assume toward the public. Many of them do not pretend to hold themselves out as ready at all times to furnish food to strangers and travelers, but reserve the right to serve only a limited number of persons or such persons as are agreeable to them and to

refuse board to all others. Neither do they furnish no pretend to furnish meals at all hours but only at stated times. They make it plain to applicants that they have no desire to entertain people generally but only such persons as they themselves may select.

An innkeeper or common victualler is bound to receive everybody who applies, if in a fit condition to be received, while a boarding-house keeper is not bound to receive an applicant except upon special contract and of course need not enter into such contract with any person who is in the slightest degree objectionable to him.

He, therefore, in my opinion, does not come within the scope of or under the provisions of section 1 of chapter 102 of the Revised Laws.

The words "stranger" and "traveler" as used in this connection, may include a townsman and neighbor as well as a person who comes from a distance or from a foreign country. (Wallace v. Foster, 35 Conn. 183-5.)

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FUNERALS

WILSON.—The funeral of Mrs. Laura J. Wilson, a former resident of North Chelmsford, widow of the late Supply C. Wilson, took place last week Tuesday from the residence of her son, S. Elliott Wilson, 26 Webster street, Haverhill, Mass. Burial was in Riverside cemetery, North Chelmsford.

SHARKEY.—The funeral of the late Michael F. Sharkey took place this morning from his home, 33 Lyon street, and was largely attended. The remains were taken to St. Peter's church where high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Fr. Burns. The choir under the direction of Prof. P. Haggerty rendered the Gregorian chant. At the offertory Miss May E. Whately sang "O Meritum Passionis" and as the body was being borne

MAGISTRATE BREEN

Says Pay Envelopes Are Not For Wife to Open

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Wives have no right "tyrannically to coerce their husbands to give them their pay envelopes sealed, but the husband who voluntarily turns his pay envelope over to his wife, if she is frugal and sagacious, is the best citizen in New York," according to Magistrate Matthew P. Breen.

In a lecture to a couple, in Essex Market Court, yesterday, the magistrate discussed this matter of wives running the family finances, but he denied Mrs. Annie Louder the order she sought to force her husband, Louis, of No. 14 Forsyth street, to give a certain amount weekly for the household.

Mrs. Louder complained that her husband, who is a mechanic earning \$15 a week, gives her only 50 cents a day to support herself and two children and run the home.

"I'll tell you what's the trouble," the husband interposed. "My wife wants me to turn my pay envelope over to her every Saturday night, sealed. She wants me to give her every cent I earn and make me beg her to hand me out a nickel every time I want a cigar, a glass of beer, or car fare. I don't think that's a respectable position for a husband and father to occupy."

"You want too much," said Magistrate Breen, turning to the complaining wife. "To require your husband to turn his unopened pay envelope over to you each week would amount to the perpetration of the home as the sacred institution it is today. A wife has no right to make such demands of her husband. The husband is the sole owner of the fund, and has the only right, perhaps, to examine the contents of an envelope representing his recompense for his daily toil."

"While I cannot sanction the doctrine of a wife compelling her husband to turn over his pay envelope intact to her, it is my firm judgment that the man who does voluntarily give all of his earnings to his frugal and sagacious wife for the conduct of the household, the clothing of the children and preparing them for school and Sunday school is the ideal New York citizen."

John Stuart Mill, the eminent English political economist, it is said, was once asked what class of men in England were the happiest. He replied the mechanic who earned good wages and gave his pay envelope to his wife every Saturday night for the maintenance of his home.

"I agree fully with that sentiment, but such a doctrine is forgotten too much in this modern bustling age. It ought to be revived, however, and it occurs to me some mighty good efforts could be expended in propaganda work designed to give this doctrine not alone general approval, but general use."

Moreover, if a man has the right sort of a wife, I see not the least objection to his allowing her full freedom in going into his pockets, while he sleeps or under any other circumstances. The trouble with my wife is she doesn't get enough when she goes into my pockets."

"Also I think it encourages regard for honesty among children to permit them to exercise reasonable freedom in getting money they need from their father's pockets. There is too wide a gulf these days between the average father and his children. The average father, I observe, does not place enough confidence in his own sons; he does not try to do of confidence and honesty."

The magistrate is against conveyance, and dismissed the complaint against Louder.

POETS IN INTERNATIONAL WAR OVER "SERPENT'S TONGUE" POEM



NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The prospect of two celebrated poets engaging in a duel, a fist fight, or a red-hot combat of words is causing literary folk in New York to sit up nights in anticipation of the fray.

The belligerents are William Watson, the English poet, and Richard Le Gallienne, Mr. Watson's ally from England, who is coming to New York to meet Mr. Le Gallienne face to face and find out why he wrote a certain poem entitled "The Port With the Coward's Tongue."

Mr. Le Gallienne admits his verses were aimed at the Englishman in reply to "The Woman With the Serpent's Tongue," which he brands as ungallant in the extreme. Mr. Watson says he is coming to make Mr. Le Gallienne eat his rhymes, and the latter says he is ready for any kind of argument from shotguns to boxing gloves.

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ATTACKS HIBBARD

Saunders Says He Should Not Run For Mayor

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Former Election Commissioner Charles R. Saunders last night issued another open letter to Mayor Hibbard, this time replying to the mayor's reply to his open letter of Sunday night, calling for his (the mayor's) withdrawal from the mayoralty contest.

Mr. Saunders concludes his statement that if the mayor continues in his present course nothing but infamy will be his place in history "insofar as you are remembered at all."

He also terms Mr. Hibbard's reference to "loyalty to the city" as the refinement of sarcasm.

The letter is as follows:

"The Hon. George A. Hibbard, 35 Beaumont street, Dorchester Centre:

"Dear Sir—Your letter in reply to mine of yesterday is received. I am not surprised that you attempt no defense of your violation, in disregard of all honor, of your 'solemn pledge' not to be a candidate for re-election, which you publicly and repeatedly gave the voters two years ago when appealing for this support. It admits of none."

"You say that you felt it your duty to maintain your candidacy, 'feeling sure that Mr. Storrow's loyalty to the city would compel his withdrawal.' Pardon me for saying that, in my opinion, for one taking the attitude that you do at the present moment, to speak of 'loyalty to the city,' is the refinement of sarcasm."

"In reply to my suggestion that you have received full compensation for your labors as mayor by the salary of \$10,000 a year, you say 'there are some things in this world which mere money cannot compensate for.' Your agreement with the city was to serve it to the best of your ability for two years for the compensation of \$10,000 a year in full. You cannot now write into this contract other compensation of a second term, the compensation of a second term, which you solemnly agreed to forego in order to increase your chances of getting any term at all."

"Mr. Mayor, the role of martyr which you would assume does not fit. The people know the difference between the true and the false."

"When President John Quincy Adams, rather than use the federal patronage for his own re-election, went down to defeat, he was one. When Senator Ross of Kansas voted against the impeachment of President Johnson, thereby saving the country from the permanent weakening of the executive power, he was one. When Governor Greenhalge, as a member of the Massachusetts house of representatives in 1885, voted to retain a competent democratic clerk of the house, Edward A. McLaughlin, against a republican candidate for the position from his own ward in Lowell, and suffered defeat for re-election by one vote, in consequence, he was one."

"These men were martyrs for principle. They threw their influence on the right side, and the people remember them with gratitude."

"But when Benedict Arnold sought to deliver West Point to the British, when Hull surrendered Detroit without firing a shot, and when John Tyler betrayed the white party which elected him, there was no martyrdom in store for them—nothing but infamy, and such will be your place in history, insofar as you are remembered at all, if you continue in your present course."

Yours very truly,
"Charles R. Saunders."

FRENCH GOVERNMENT

Has Been Drawn Into the Nicaraguan Trouble

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 30.—A cable from San Jose, Costa Rica, says: "The French government has been drawn into the Nicaraguan trouble in a way that promises serious consequences for Zelaya as the result of brutal outrages committed on French citizens residing in Nicaragua. An official complaint has been lodged with the French consul-general in Costa Rica by Faustino Montiel, a Frenchman. Montiel who was manager of a farm owned by M. Menier of Paris and situated on the southeast coast of the great lake of Nicaragua, says: 'On the 22nd of October last we were surprised by a large detachment of troops, commanded by a gentleman called Larlos, who we were told is an aide de camp of the president of Nicaragua. Immediately both Mr. Ruinart and myself were bound and dragged to the edge of the lake where after the mockery of a trial they threatened to shoot us—a threat which they repeated three times.'

"As soon as we were safely in the lockup, the soldiers the keys from the housekeeper and carrying off all objects of value on which they could lay their hands, some of which we recognized later in Lortuga. We had to regain possession of our own horses by purchasing them from those to whom they had sold them."

"During the operations at the farm the housekeeper was brutally treated by Larlos and it was with difficulty that she saved herself from being killed. They completely stripped the farm, not taking into account the French flag which was at the time hoisted over the house."

COL. ROOSEVELT SWEEPING BILL

Saw Mandi Warriors Was Presented by Kill Lions Premier Moret

LONDON, British East Africa, Nov. 30.—Col. Roosevelt, Kermit Roosevelt, Edmund Heller and Leslie A. Tarlton arrived here today from Guas Ingishu plateau. All are in splendid health. Col. Roosevelt expressed himself as delighted at again meeting R. J. Cunningham and members of the American party who awaited him here. The former president is greatly elated over the success of the hunt on the plateau. Among the sights witnessed was a display of lion killing with spears by Mandi warriors. The exhibition was thrilling.

This evening the party will proceed to Njoro, where they will be the guests of Lord Delamare on the latter's ranch until Dec. 10, when they will proceed to Nairobi.

DUKE THEODOR

DIED AT BEYREUTH FROM KIDNEY TROUBLES

BEYREUTH, Bavaria, Nov. 30.—Duke Karl Theodor of Bavaria died today from kidney trouble. Duke Karl never figured prominently in military or political affairs but studied medicine and became a famous eye specialist. He maintained several private hospitals where the poor were treated free and did much to introduce some sort of sanitation into the homes of the mountaineers. He was the head of the ducal line of the Bavarian house. One of his sisters, the Empress of Austria, was murdered in Geneva. Another sister married the Duke d'Alencon and was burned to death in the Paris charity fire. One of his daughters is the wife of Crown Prince Albert of Belgium and another daughter married Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria, a grandson of the Prince-regent and who probably will succeed to the throne upon the death of the Emperor, Otto.

THE DAVIS CUP SECRETARY MEYER

Is Retained by the Australians

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Nov. 30.—The Australian defenders retain the Dwight S. Davis challenge cup, having defeated the Americans in the final match today of the International tennis tournament. The play was in single and the Californians made a better showing than in the earlier match.

The score:

International Singles.
A. F. Wilding, New Zealand, beat Maurice McLaughlin, United States, 3-6, 6-2, 6-2, 6-2.
Norman E. Brooks, Victoria, beat Melvin Long, United States, 6-4, 7-5, 6-3.

THE SUGAR TRUST

Sen. Burkett to Open War on It

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Senator Elmer J. Burkett of Nebraska has prepared a resolution, which he intends to present to congress, calling for a thorough investigation of the sugar trust. He declared on his arrival at the capital that his resolution would



SENATOR BURKETT

KILLED HIS WIFE

Brooklyn Man Then Attempted to Commit Suicide

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Patrick H. Rafferty killed his wife in their Brooklyn home early today by cutting her throat with a razor. Frank Ohland, a brother-in-law, attempted to interfere as did Margaret Kelly, mother of Mrs. Rafferty. Ohland was severely cut and Mrs. Kelly's skull was fractured by a blow from a broomstick. Rafferty then ran into the yard and attempted to kill himself by cutting his own throat with the razor he had used on his wife.

Mrs. Kelly and Rafferty are in the hospital where it is believed both will die.

Rafferty had been staying out late at night, according to relatives, and when he returned this morning his wife remonstrated with him.

GETS VERDICT TO FIGHT SUIT

BUT THE DEFENDANT BECAME A BANKRUPT

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Miss Mamie Sica, a pretty young woman, who last month won an award of \$2,341 from Nicholas Pappas, a Grand street confectioner, as balm for her broken heart, probably won't enjoy her financial assumption after all.

Pappas went into voluntary bankruptcy yesterday, claiming that he owed \$2,857 and had nothing in the world wherewith to pay it except the trifling sum of \$30 in bank. Those who heard of the bankruptcy were surprised, for they said Pappas last April withdrew from two prosperous firms in which he was partner, and at the same time disposed of a half interest he had in two store buildings said to be worth \$70,000, although subject to mortgages.

Pappas, who is much older than Miss Sica, fell in love with her when she came into his shop to buy bonbons.

In her suit for divorce she charges her husband with cruel and abusive treatment. She further alleges that Stickney abused her from March 20 of this year and also prior to that date.

Several of the people here today stated that when the couple were first married the news of the ceremony did not please Mr. Stickney's mother. When the bride was presented to her mother-in-law a few days after the marriage, the latter was so taken with her daughter-in-law's good looks that she freely forgave the elopement.

It was learned yesterday that Mr. Stickney will contest the case, and has engaged prominent attorneys to fight the divorce case.

TOWN REFUSES LICENSES

NORTH KINGSTON, R. I., Nov. 30.—Despite the vote for license at the last election the town council yesterday refused to grant three permits. These were the only applications, although the town is entitled to eight saloons.

Some members of the council say they will resign before granting any permits to sell liquor. There is no way of compelling them to grant licenses, as the law leaves it in their hands.

ARREST WOMEN

On Charge of Attempted Larceny

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Two well dressed women, wearing costly furs, were booked at police headquarters yesterday on charges of attempted larceny from the person. They were arrested by Inspectors Burr and Smith and gave the names of Eva Harris, 27 years old, 15 Salem st., and Elsie Herman, 20, of Washington street.

The arresting officers said the young women had been followed through the big stores by house detectives. One of these detectives claims she saw one of the prisoners take a pocketbook from an unknown woman.

Outside of saying that they lived in Boston the women refused to talk. The addresses, 15 Salem street, is a store, and neither of the women are known there.

Nearly \$100 was found on the women when searched at headquarters. The money was in small bunches. A small seal pocketbook and a brown pocketbook were also found.

MAN'S HEAD

IS ASSUMING SHAPE OF LION'S CAPUT

CINCINNATI, Nov. 30.—The head of Charles Meyers, a shoe maker, 22 years old, is gradually losing its human characteristics and assuming the shape of a lion's caput. The man who is an inmate of the city hospital here was exhibited last night before the Medical Association as the victim of one of the rarest diseases known to medicine. It is known as Leontiasis aesia and only a couple of cases are on record.

The doctors declare that in a short time he must either become insane or die.

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Foye Has Support of Defeated Candidates

That the democratic candidates for purchasing agent have no hopes as the result of the caucuses is evidenced by the following letters which are self-explanatory:

McElholm to Foye
Lowell, Mass., Nov. 26, 1909.
Mr. Edward M. Foye,
Lowell, Mass.
Dear Mr. Foye:
Accept my heartiest congratulations on your splendid victory at the caucuses on Tuesday. I assure you that the good feeling which existed during the campaign for the nomination is still the same and you may count on my support in the coming election.
With the very best wishes for your success on election day, I am,
Very Sincerely yours,
Wm. H. McElholm.

Mr. Foye's Reply
Lowell, Nov. 27.
My Dear William:
Your letter of congratulation at hand—with expressions of assurance for my success—for which I am grateful. Thanking you I am sincerely,
Edward H. Foye.
Lowell, Nov. 28, '09.

Friend Ed.:
While I feel there is no need of writing to you inasmuch as we all agreed to support the candidate who won, I wish to convey my congratulations and to assure you that I will do all I can to help elect you. Wishing you success, I am
Sincerely yours,
Thomas J. Fitzgerald.

Mr. Foye's Reply
Lowell, Nov. 29.
Friend Thomas:
Thanks for your kind letter of congratulations. It pleases me more than a little to observe the splendid sincerity manifested by both yourself and Mr. McElholm for my success.
Sincerely,
Edward H. Foye.

As far as can be learned Mr. Mackenzie has received no congratulations from the 700 or more blanks cast for purchasing agent at the caucuses.

STRIKE ORDER ISSUED

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 30.—According to President Hawley of the Switchmen's union, a strike order to all railroads from Lake Superior to the Pacific coast has been issued to take effect at six o'clock this evening unless countermanded before that time.

VOTES RECOUNTED
Work Completed by the Registrars
This Noon

The recount of democratic ballots cast in the recent primaries for mayor, aldermen, etc., was concluded about 1 o'clock today. The result of the recount for mayor was the most important. It was asked for by Mr. O'Donnell. On the face of the original returns Mr. Crowley had a lead of 4 votes over Mr. O'Donnell and the recount gives Mr. Crowley a lead of 32 votes. The result of the recount, losses and gains, was as follows: For mayor—Crowley gained 3, O'Donnell lost 25, Daley gained 1, Maloney gained 6, and Mahan remained the same.
There were several changes in the count for aldermen but not of sufficient importance to affect their standing.

There was no change in the ward four school committee.
Ward five city committee: John McCullough, Christopher J. Hagan, and William H. Conway, who were elected under the original returns, were counted out by the board of registrars, and Augustus P. Slattery, John C. Martin, Jr., and John P. Gleason were counted in.
The gains and losses were as follows: Gains—Conley 1, Mulligan 3, Carr 1, Sullivan 1.
Gains—McCullough 2, McCrann 3, Gahagan 2, Ball 3, Martin 6, Gleason 8, Guthrie 3, McNamara 3, Hagan 1, Welch 3, Conway 2, Muldoon 4, Slattery 20.

FIRE IN NASHUA

Caused the Loss of About \$3500
One Man Was Burned to Death

NASHUA, N. H., Nov. 30.—Fire, which resulted in a loss of \$3500, destroyed the stables adjoining the residence of Gen. Charles W. Stevens on Main street yesterday. It broke out late in the afternoon and owing to the quantity of hay and grain in the loft the fire companies from the central and Lamoine street stations were kept on duty until 8 o'clock.

The fire started in an unknown way and had gained considerable headway when discovered. By the time the fire companies could be assembled the building and its adjoining carriage house were enveloped in flames.

After an hour's work the flames were under control and the balance of the time was devoted to extinguishing the blaze in the hay, of which there were seven tons in the stable. Two horses which were in the stable were taken out, but harnesses and other equipment were lost.

The F. D. Cook Lumber company's storehouse and other buildings were threatened at times. The building was covered by an insurance of \$2500.

JUDGE UTLEY DETERMINED TO KEEP DRUNKS OFF THE CARS

WORCESTER, Nov. 30.—Judge Samuel Utley of the central district court yesterday took a hand in the effort to eliminate the presence of drunken men on suburban cars running into Worcester from the Lenox town around the city by imposing a \$15 fine on a defendant.

In imposing the fine Judge Utley said: "If the railway authorities moved in this matter in the right direction in the first place, there wouldn't be any evil like this at all. Years ago I told the probation officers that drunken men taken from electric cars or trains should not be discharged without arraignment. These men should be dealt with harshly, and the growling street car nuisances would soon pass into oblivion."

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET			
Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	86 1/2	84	85 1/2
Am Car & Fm	71 1/4	69 1/4	70 1/4
Am Cot Oil	66 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
Am Hide & L	42 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Am Lbr	52 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
Am Smelt & R	96 1/2	95 1/2	95 1/2
Am Sugar Rfn	113 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2
Am Sundries	117 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2
Atchafalpa	118 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
Atchafalpa	104	103	103
Balt & Ohio	115 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2
Can Pac	177 1/2	176 1/2	176 1/2
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Cent Leather	45 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Ches & Ohio	85 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
Chi & Gt W	19 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Col Fuel	48 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Consolidated	180 1/2	179 1/2	179 1/2
Del & Hud	180 1/2	179 1/2	179 1/2
Den & Rio G	47 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Dis Secur Co	36 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Elgin	32 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Erie 1st pf	40 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Erie 2d pf	38 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Gen Elec	160	159 1/2	159 1/2
Gl North pf	141 1/2	140 1/2	140 1/2
Gl Ore	47 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Illinois Cen	146	145	145
Int Mer M	22 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Int Mer pf	51 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Int Mer 2d pf	32 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Int Paper pf	55 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
Int S Pump Co	49 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Iowa Cen pf	48 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Kan & Tex	47 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Kan & T pf	72 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2
Louis & Nash	150 1/2	149 1/2	149 1/2
Mexican Cent	20 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Missouri Pa	68 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
Nat Lead	87 1/2	86 1/2	86 1/2
Nat Lead pf	110 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2
Nat Pac	127 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
N Y Central	120 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2
No Am Co	78 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
Nor & West	177 1/2	176 1/2	176 1/2
Nor Pac	141 1/2	140 1/2	140 1/2
Ont & West	54 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2
Pennsylvania	130 1/2	129 1/2	129 1/2
People's Gas	112 1/2	111 1/2	111 1/2
Pressed Steel	50 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Ty & Sp Co	165 1/2	164 1/2	164 1/2
Reading	165 1/2	164 1/2	164 1/2
Rep Iron & S	48 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Rock Is pf	105 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Rock Is pf	105 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
St L & S	32 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
St L & S pf	74 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
St Paul	128 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
So Pacific	128 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
Southern Ry	30 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Southern Ry pf	68 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
Texas Pac	32 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Texas Pac pf	64 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
Third Ave	19 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Union Pacific	20 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Union Pac pf	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
U S Rub	51 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
U S Rub pf	115 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2
U S Steel	88 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
U S Steel pf	102 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2
U S Steel ss	102 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2
Utah Copper	55 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
Wabash R R	20 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Web R R pf	52 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
Westinghouse	82 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
Western Un	77 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
Wh & L Erie	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2

OPENING DEALS

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The active opening dealings in stocks did not cause much change in the price levels. Only a few of the prominent stocks moved widely from last night's closing. The gains and losses were much mixed and the contest between the opposing speculative forces was evident. American Sugar advanced 1 1/2, Amal Copper, Anaconda, and Reading 1, and Wabash pf, Canadian Pacific and American Lbr large fractions. St. Louis and San Francisco second preferred 1/4, Am. Car 1 and Great Northern pf 1/4.

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Prices weakened again, some of the railroads coming into the movement. A show of strength in the rest of the night, Norfolk & Western 1 1/2 and N. Y. Central, Louisville & Nashville and Great Northern pf 1/4. A long list of Western railroads made a up or up, upwards including the United States Steel stocks and other iron and steel industrial. Am. Malt pf dropped 1/4, Great Northern 1/4, Canadian Pacific 1/4, and Am. Car and Westinghouse Electric 2. The market steadied and became dull at noon. Bonds were weak.

SPOT COTTON

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Cotton spot closed quiet. Middling Uplands, 14.55; Middling Gulf, 14.80. No sales.

COTTON FUTURES

Month	Opening	Closing
December	14.15	14.15
January	14.32	14.32
February	14.40	14.40
March	14.61	14.61
April	14.64	14.64
May	14.74	14.74
June	14.70	14.70
August	14.99-14.00	14.99
September	12.90-95	12.94
October	12.47	12.53

THE COPPER MERCER

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The proposed merger of the large copper producing companies is still in process of formation, according to a statement made at the office of J. P. Morgan & Co. today. It is believed that the Standard Oil decision, however, has altered the plans for the copper combination and that those having the matter in hand will bring about the creation of the copper interests in such form as will be affected by the present federal statutes.

BOSTON CUPPER MARKET

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Local coppers which opened strong today broke sharply in the first hours with Lake copper leading yesterday. At noon the market was weak and feverish, Lake having fallen 6 to 55.

THE CHINESE LOAN

LONDON, Nov. 30.—Another complication which threatened to delay the conclusion of the international negotiations for the Chinese loan has arisen. The Financial Standard, a London paper, has taken but little part in the discussion, leaving the matter largely in the hands of British bankers, now have intimate news that the Chinese government has decided to accept the loan on the basis of a concession for the control of the railway construction. This development completely upsets the negotiations of the Chinese government. It is understood, however, that the Chinese government has yielded too much and thus the whole matter is likely to be repudiated.

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BOWLING NOTES A TRIPLE TIE

Several Contests on the Alleys Last Night

There were two contests in the Catholic league last night. One of the games resulted in the Belvideres taking two points from St. Peter's, while in the other game the Y. M. C. I. captured two from the Burkes.

The Crissons and Blues, two teams made up of young men, met on the alleys last night and the former team won the game by a big margin. The scores:

CATHOLIC LEAGUE			
St. Peter's	Belvideres	Crissons	Blues
Loupret	1	2	3
Uley	87	85	85
Dunham	89	86	86
O'Donohue	80	82	102
McCarthy	92	92	110
Totals	412	405	460

Y. M. C. I.			
McCori	1	2	3
Doyle	104	95	80
Moran	98	91	82
T. F. Kelley	98	96	100
Totals	438	468	440

BURKES			
Dugan	89	88	89
Gleason	89	85	97
McManney	88	106	95
O'Brien	88	87	105
Totals	442	459	477

CRIMSONS WON

CRIMSONS			
J. Ryan	85	89	87
Brellon	81	81	84
Stack	82	77	91
T. Manning	82	82	82
E. Dickinson	84	89	86
Totals	431	411	420

WOLCAST WON

BLUES			
McGarr	79	73	80
Callone	60	80	81
Hollins	76	81	82
B. Stowell	73	82	88
F. Stowell	78	111	75
Totals	370	409	389

POLICE OFFICER

Was Clubbed by Two Men

FALL RIVER, Nov. 30.—Clubbed over the head, back and hands with a baseball bat by two men, one of whom was a fugitive from justice, Inspector Hugh Hogan had a thrilling experience at 609 Middle street Sunday when he attempted to arrest Samuel Hathaway on a charge of larceny of \$1600. Hathaway was assisted in the assault by Manuel Williams, an employee of Hathaway. Both were arraigned yesterday and sentenced to one year in the house of correction. They appealed and were held in \$1000.

Then William Hogan and Shay called at the Hathaway home and while Inspector Bogan ran the front doorbell Inspector Shay ran around to guard the rear door. Williams appeared in answer to Bogan's ring and said Hathaway was not at home. Just then Hathaway's figure loomed up behind Williams. He reached over Williams' shoulder and struck at the inspector with a baseball bat.

Bogan grappled Hathaway and the two men struggled about the house. Williams is accused of wrenching the bat away and striking the inspector twice across the back. Bogan retained his grip and Hathaway went to the floor.

The Williams was said to have swung the bat again and brought it down on Bogan's head, cutting the scalp. Feeling that he was losing his strength Bogan backed out of the house.

He told Inspector Shay of the fight he had and the latter summoned assistance from headquarters. Inspector Bogan was able to appear in court yesterday morning.

DETROIT AMERICANS WON

MATANZAS, Nov. 30.—The Detroit Americans defeated the Matanzas base ball team here yesterday by a score of 14 to 7.

MARTIN SNEE DEAD

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Martin Snee, of Haverhill, an old time lightweight boxer who met most of the men of his class in his day, died at the Homeopathic hospital in this city yesterday, following an operation. He was born in Haverhill 47 years ago, and followed the trade of a shoemaker. He met Jim Carey of England, Australia and New Jersey and had some notable battles with Dick Morehouse. His last bout was a 20 round draw with Leslie Pierce of Philadelphia in Lowell in 1895.

He leaves two brothers and a sister in Haverhill.

BOXING GOSSIP

The Gladstone club will certainly have some class to its show next Tuesday evening when the principal bout will be of 12 rounds between Joe Thomas of Philadelphia and Tommy Crawford of Philadelphia, the two leading middleweights of the present time. Crawford would go anywhere to meet Thomas while there's no place in the country that Thomas would go to quicker than Lowell, and hence the Gladstone club was able to get this big bout which ordinarily would go to a bigger city. Thomas will come here in a day or two and finish his training with Jimmie Gardner. The bout will draw a large attendance from Boston and other cities. Thomas has met such men as Tommy Sullivan, Honey Melody, Sallor Burke, Jack Twin Sullivan, Harry Lewis and Stanley Ketchel. Ketchel and Thomas have met four times in 20 round bouts, a 32 round affair and a two rounder. In addition to the main bout Jack O'Hare and Billy Clinton will go eight rounds at cuthewights and Young Ross and Young Boyle will go six. The meeting will be for members only.

DR. ROLLER HELD GOTCH

DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 30.—Dr. B. F. Roller, wrestling champion of the Pacific coast, held Frank Gotch, world's heavyweight wrestling champion, fifteen minutes without a fall last night in an exhibition here.

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STABBED TO DEATH

Young Woman Was Trying to Save Her Father

VINCENNES, Ind., Nov. 30.—Interfering to save her father, Jaspar Burba, Miss Etta Burba, 20 years old, was stabbed to death by Oscar Savage, her sweetheart, at her home last night. Savage attacked Burba with a long knife, inflicting a gash across the forehead. Burba defended herself with a bottle and his daughter tried to protect him. Either in a fit of rage or by accident, Savage plunged the knife

into the girl's heart and she died almost instantly. Burba told his sister-in-law to call the police. Savage pursued her, brandishing the bloody knife until she reached the police station. Then he returned to the Burba home, and placed his sweetheart's body on a bed. He was sitting beside it when the police arrived. He seemed stupefied and protested that the girl was not dead.

COCAINE USED

By the Inmates at Deer Island

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—James C. White, secretary to Mayor Hibbard, has, at the latter's request, made an investigation of the charges that cocaine and other drugs are being used by the inmates of the house of correction at Deer Island, and in his report he admits that the "dope" habit exists among the prisoners, but not to any such alarming extent as has been represented.

Sec. White reports that of the 1500 prisoners at the house of correction not more than 40 are victims or users of drugs. He places the number between 26 and 40, although allegations have been made that approximately 300 were addicted to the drug habit.

In regard to the charges that cocaine and other forms of drug were given to the prisoners by officers at the institution, Sec. White believes

that they are unfounded, but he practically admits that the stuff has been brought to the island in surreptitious ways. Neither does the secretary believe that large quantities of drugs reach the inmates, nor does he believe that drugs are brought to the island regularly.

In his investigation Sec. White discovered that cocaine reached the prisoners through the many furtive ways which the inventive minds of those afflicted with the craze have devised, and he is of the opinion that some cocaine has been given to prisoners beneath postage stamps and in the binding of books. Although he thinks part of the dope is brought in by the inmates themselves at the time of their committing crime, in such a manner as to defy a hasty search, the bulk of the smuggling has been done by visitors.

As to the charges that some of the officers have assisted in the illegal traffic in drugs, the secretary says that it is true, and it is also to be feared that among the officers there have been some who have fallen under the temptation, but upon mere suspicion these officers have been discharged, and he feels confident that when the master of the house of correction ascertains that they are and that injustice is being done the officers when it is said that they are aware of the situation and daily witnesses of the various attending practices.

As a remedy against the evil, Sec. White recommends in his report that the 30 or 40 inmates addicted to drug be at once segregated and placed under the observation of the medical officers. He also goes a step further and recommends that the list of visitors to the island be reduced and that all of them be sworn in as constables. He suggests that Mayor Hibbard make a request of the head of the Harvard or Tufts medical school, or both, to have two or more experts, preferably men who have had charge of sanitariums where drug cures are made, to make a special investigation of the conditions and report a plan, not only for preventing the growth, at least at Deer Island, of the practice, but of possibly curing such inmates as are now suffering from the habit.

MRS. M. T. SCOTT

Seeks Re-Election as Head of D. A. R.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Scenting a two-term ambition on the part of Mrs. Matthew T. Scott, who was last year elected to the presidency of the D. A. R., leaders of the large opposition to her administration are in the field with plans to combat that ambition.

The announcement that Mrs. Scott will run again in the spring of 1911 is said to have been conveyed to intimate friends among her supporters. The "insurgents," whose candidate, Mrs. William Cummings Story of New York city, had only eight votes less than Mrs. Scott at the election last fall, are openly charging that Mrs. Scott is "pledging not to seek re-election."

It is claimed, however, that the Illinois state organization to which she belongs has from the first insisted that it would put Mrs. Scott in the field a second time.

Mrs. Scott, who has engaged a suite of rooms for the winter at the Arlington, has decided to spend the season in Washington and will entertain in lavish style between now and April, the month set for the annual continental congress.

She is a woman of wealth and influential social connections, possessed of an attractive personality, and it is said wishes her administration to be as brilliant socially as was that of Mrs. Charles Warren Fairbanks.

NEW CITY HALL

For New York Will Cost \$7,500,000

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Plans for the \$7,500,000 twenty-five story municipal building, 550 feet high, were approved by the board of estimate yesterday, and contracts for the work will be let within a few days.

This great structure, which will house most of the city departments will be erected near the Brooklyn bridge, and will have 650,000 feet of floor space.

COMMITTEE ON SEWERS

The committee on sewers went a-viewing yesterday afternoon and last night gave hearings on petitions for sewers in Moore and Marsh streets and Plummer avenue. Sewers in Moore and Marsh streets were voted but the Plummer avenue sewer was not voted.

AN ITCHING PALM

No Cure for It! Other Forms of Itching. Preferable

There is no cure for an itching palm—the money kind. Even poslam, the new skin discovery, cannot help it. But when it comes to eczema, the most annoying of itching skin troubles, poslam will stop the itching at once and cure the worst cases in a few days. So with hives, rash, scabies, split toes, piles, and scaly scalp, all of which are different forms of eczema, accompanied by severe itching and caused by imperfect digestion and careless diet.

Poslam comes in two-dollar jars but fifty cents' worth will answer in curing any of the diseases mentioned. It can be had of any druggist. Falls & Burkinshaw and Carter & Sherburne make a specialty of it. That results are immediate will be amply demonstrated overnight by the use of the experimental sample which the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West Twenty-fifth street, New York City, will send free by mail in plain wrapper, to anyone who will write for it.

PANIC STRICKEN

Families Scared by Explosion of Dynamite

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Dynamite dropped down the chimney wrecked the flat of Abraham Elmich in East 13th street last night, and falling debris cut him severely about the head. His wife, with an infant in her arms, was hurled across the room, but neither was badly hurt. Twenty-five families in the building were panic-stricken and fled to the street. The owner of the tenement who has been receiving "Black Hand" letters, is supposed to have been the object of the attack.

WESTFORD MAN

INJURED IN AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT

John Abbott of Westford was seriously injured in Lexington on Saturday afternoon as the result of an automobile in which he was riding being overturned. He received a broken collarbone, a cut on the back of the head and several bruises.

Mr. Abbott was riding with Walter Carl in the latter's automobile, a Poppe-Hartford, when the accident occurred. The car was bowling along the state road between Concord and Arlington. When a sharp corner was reached Mr. Carl applied the brakes in order to slow down, but he might negotiate the curve, but the brakes refused to work, the car skidded and turning turtle threw the occupants out.

Mr. Carl escaped injury, but Mr. Abbott was not so fortunate. The latter was assisted to a house nearby and a doctor was called.

Another machine was secured and both young men were taken to Mr. Abbott's home. Mr. Abbott is now resting comfortably.

THE LEWISOHN ESTATE

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—The estate of the late Leonard Lewisohn of New York was not in any way involved in the Old Dominion Co. litigation in this state, as stated in a despatch sent from this city on Saturday, when executions amounting to \$2,152,559 were issued by the supreme court against Albert S. Bigelow of Boston and in favor of the company.

The late Mr. Lewisohn and Mr. Bigelow were partners in organizing the Old Dominion Co. and some time ago the company brought suit to recover alleged profits obtained without the knowledge of other officials. Mr. Lewisohn was not sued in this state but in New York, and when the case was carried to Washington he won. This litigation was distinct from that recently disposed of by the supreme court of this state. It is understood that Mr. Bigelow will appeal to the supreme court of the United States.

WON FIRST PRIZE

BARBER, N. C., Nov. 30.—The Alage stake of the Continental trials was finished here yesterday, the winner of first prize being Cowley's Pride, English setter, owned by U. H. Fleischer, owner of New York, handled by C. H. Babcock of New Bedford, Mass.

The conditions under which the dogs ran were very trying, for it was very dry and while there are plenty of birds on the grounds, it was difficult for the dogs to handle them.

SPITTING NUISANCE

Hawking and Spitting Is Caused by Catarrh Glands

If the local authorities want to stop the disgusting habit of spitting, mucous on the sidewalks, they had better instruct the people as to the best method of killing the catarrh glands and curing catarrh.

You can easily tell by reading the symptoms below whether you have catarrh or not: Offensive breath, frequent sneezing, discharge from nose, stoppage of the nose, huskiness of the voice, tickling in throat, droppings in throat, a cough, pain in chest, loss of strength, variable appetite, spasms of coughing, low spirited at times, raising of mucous, difficulty in breathing, loss of vital force.

Carter & Sherburne have a sensible remedy (money back if it fails) for catarrh, called Hyomei, which is a vaporized air so antiseptic that when it is breathed over the inflamed and germ-infested membrane, it kills all germ life and cures catarrh.

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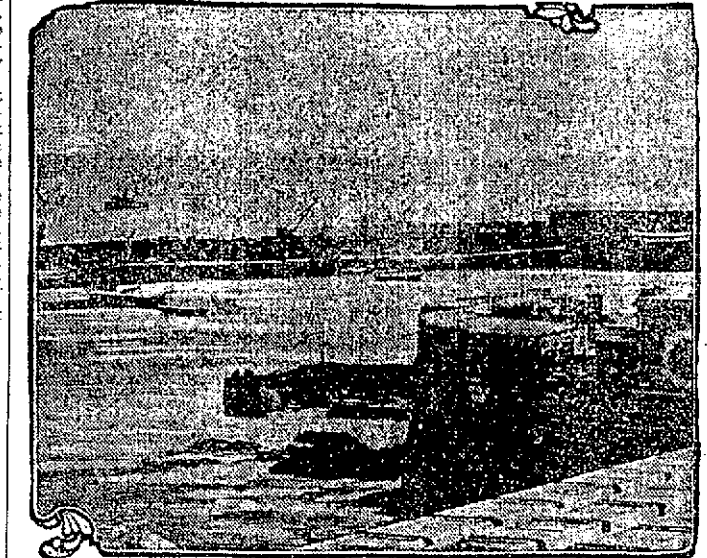
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PORT OF SANTA CRUZ, TENERIFE, MENACED BY STREAMS OF LAVA



SANTA CRUZ, Nov. 29.—Several towns containing thousands of persons are threatened with destruction by volcanic eruptions on the island of Tenerife, the largest of the Canary group. The island is about sixty miles long and thirty wide, and the volcanoes are situated near its center. Lava thrown up by constant eruptions is flowing into the valleys that lead to the coast in great volume, and the people are fleeing to the coast towns in terror. Lava from Mount Billina has separated into two streams, and in the path of one or the other of these streams lie the towns of Santiago, Tamaino, Tanque and Chama. Earthquake shocks are almost continuous. From Santa Cruz, the principal port, comes word that the entire island is threatened.

LOST HIS MEMORY

Boy Was Kidnapped From His Home in Lynn

LYNN, Nov. 30.—Clouds of forgetfulness still hover in the mind of Joseph Bekovitch, 14, of 113 Wyman street, who was kidnapped for the second time in his life on Saturday, Oct. 30, by two men, who kept him until last Friday, when he escaped and returned home.

The police, in an effort to trace the kidnappers, find that the boy has experienced almost an utter lapse of memory. Beyond the fact that he was for two weeks a prisoner in a deserted house on the outskirts of Boston and but half fed and partly unconscious for four weeks, the boy can remember nothing that would help the police.

The young man when he found his way back home last Friday night was so weakened that he could scarcely talk. Since then he has been able to give only the barest details of his experience.

Bekovitch disappeared on Saturday, Oct. 30. When he failed to return to his father's home in the evening a search was instituted, but until he returned home last Friday night no trace of him could be found.

His own explanation is that on Saturday noon, the day he disappeared, he received his pay and started home, when he met two strange men on the street. One asked him his name and then said: "If you will come with me, I will see that you get a better job at a higher salary."

The young man joined the men and they took a car. His story from that time is incomplete except that the young man declares that the men took him in the general direction of Boston, but that they were on the outskirts. He was taken into a house and locked in a room.

At frequent intervals the boy heard the two men talking about money matters. They swore repeatedly, and a few days before the young man made his escape one of the men said that the money was not forthcoming. Last Friday afternoon, according to the boy's story, while his two captors were asleep, he made his escape by jumping out of window on the second floor of a house.

He began running in the direction he

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DIED ON ISLAND

Charles Conway Succumbed to Exposure

Charles Conway, aged 52 years, and John Cosgrove went boat riding on the Shawheen river late Saturday night after an evening in Lowell, and Conway's dead body was found on a small island in the river on Sunday morning, while Cosgrove is at his home in East Tewksbury in a critical condition as the result of exposure.

The news of the finding of the body, probably on account of the condition of Cosgrove, did not become generally known until yesterday afternoon, when Undertaker Frank Farmer removed it to the morgue.

As far as can be learned the two men who were employed on the farm of Wallace Burt in East Tewksbury came to Lowell and spent the evening here, B. Ballardvale and Somerville. The body is being held to await word from relatives.

On the farm of Grosvenor Clark they found a frail skiff and started off in it. They had not gone far when Conway fell overboard. Cosgrove, however, succeeded in getting him back into the boat and he then rowed to a little island where they got out and Cosgrove lit a fire. Conway was thoroughly chilled, but assured his companion that he would be all right in a short time. Both sat around the fire and soon fell asleep, and Cosgrove did not awaken until 10 o'clock Sunday morning. He attempted to arouse his companion, whom he believed to be sleeping, and after several unsuccessful attempts he attracted the attention of people in the vicinity, who went over to the island to find that Conway was dead. The body was then removed to the opposite shore, where it remained until the arrival of the undertaker. Although Conway died from exposure, the body was scorched in several places from contact with the fire. Cosgrove went to his home, where he is recovering.

Conway has relatives in St. John, N. B., Ballardvale and Somerville. The body is being held to await word from relatives.

Lowell, Tuesday, Nov. 30, 1909.

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Very fine Percale, light and dark colors, fine quality, 30 inches wide, 10c value.

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40 inch fine white Lawn for aprons, etc., 10c value.

November Sale 7c Yard

Yard wide Art Satin, very handsome designs, 12 1-2c value.

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Yard wide Percale, light and dark percale, very fine quality, fast colors for house dresses and wrappers, 10c value.

November Sale Only 6 1-2c Yard

Diaper Cloth, nice soft quality remnants, of best quality, in bundles of 5 yards, for

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Yard wide heavy plain Outing Flannel, gray, pink and blue, regular value 12 1-2c.

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November Sale 20c Pair

Men's Fine Cashmere Hose, black oxford, brown and light gray, 25c value.

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Men's Heavy Ribbed Blue Hose, good, strong quality, 25c value.

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Heavy Black and Tan Cotton Hose, 12 1-2c value.

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Men's Neglige Shirts, made of good printed chevrons in light colors, all new patterns, 50c value.

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This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

THE PROBATION OFFICER'S WORK

The showing made by Probation Officer Slattery in his report for the year gives some indication of the vast amount of good he is doing in his work to reform the people committed to his care on account of drunkenness or other offences.

Mr. Slattery has always entered into his work with a great deal of earnestness, and through his appeals for reform many hundreds have returned to the path of honor, decency and rectitude. Mr. Slattery has our congratulations on the success of his work.

WHEN ROOSEVELT RETURNS.

The country has been somewhat lonely since ex-President Roosevelt started for Africa. The people have missed his long-winded discussions on trusts and other things; how the former could be divided into good and bad, and the latter so far as they operate for evil attributed to the democratic party.

Roosevelt has had a unique experience since he left the United States, and no doubt when he returns he will be Africanized to the extent that he will not go into mourning if he finds "his policies dead and buried." They are at present in a fit condition to be submitted to the taxidermist so that they can be preserved in a museum with the animal curiosities he brings from Africa.

MEEHAN A MAN FOR WHOM ALL CAN VOTE.

There is no reason why any citizen of Lowell should not vote for John F. Meehan for mayor. It is true he is the democratic nominee, but he declares himself, first and foremost, for good government for all the people. If republicans want such government, here is their chance to bring about the change. In all his public and private utterances in his legislative record, as well as in his ante-caucus campaign, Mr. Meehan seemed to put "duty" above all else, and already he has so far expressed his intention as to say that his chief duty, if elected mayor, will be to give the people better municipal government than they now have. Hence it is, that the election of Mr. Meehan is likely to bring about some of the most important changes the people have sought for many years in the administration of affairs at city hall.

LOWELL SHOULD WAKE UP.

The city of Lawrence is to have another great woolen mill. How is it that we cannot induce the American Woolen company to locate some of its big mills in Lowell? Is it because the cotton mills control the best sites and practically the entire water power?

By the way, has any official of our city or any public body approached the American Woolen company on this point? During the past year we have given our attention mainly to running political wind mills which bring very poor returns to the people.

Lawrence is now experiencing a boom that may soon bring her up to the status of Lowell, with industries more stable and more prosperous.

Is it not time for Lowell to wake up and give her attention to something more substantial and more essential to her welfare than the empty political bingaboo with which she has been engaged during the past year?

TO AVERT A TARIFF WAR.

Congressman Mann, from Illinois, purposes at the coming session of congress to introduce a bill to amend the present tariff law so as to avert a tariff war with Canada.

It remains to be seen whether Speaker Cannon will throw the bill in the waste basket or whether the standpatters will contrive to defeat the measure in the interest of the trusts.

Mr. Mann's bills are aimed mainly at the paper and wood pulp schedules. This reopening of the tariff discussion will give the insurgent republicans an opportunity to expose the injustice of the law and the unprincipled course by which it was forced through congress.

The democrats will naturally welcome the opportunity to join hands with the "insurgents" on this matter and thus, whether successful or not, pave the way for victorious elections next fall.

The speaker, however, will endeavor to buy off certain democrats by concessions, but the man who thus sells out to the republican czar will have to answer to his constituents for his recreancy.

FOR EARLY CHRISTMAS SHOPPING.

Perhaps it is not too early to suggest the advisability of early Christmas shopping. To be sure there are other events on the tapis in the meantime, and among them are the raising of a big Y. M. C. A. campaign fund, the election of a democratic mayor and a few other things of lesser importance.

But in spite of all these let the young man who intends to purchase a present for his best girl, get a line on what she would like and if at all compatible with the resources of his pocketbook, buy the present now.

To the girls who have to make a variety of presents, let us say that it is a good plan to get a piece of paper, jot down the names of the people to whom you are to give presents with the article in each case, and if these be not perishable, purchase now. Early shopping will benefit not only yourself but the girl or the young man behind the counter.

There are people who can never make up their minds what they are going to buy or to whom they will give presents until the last day, and then when they go the rounds of the stores, they find that they cannot get what they want and they have to buy something they don't want.

Why not adopt the habit of doing your Christmas shopping early? It ensures satisfaction for yourself and the recipient of the gift, while it will help to relieve the store clerks of the overwhelming rush in which they are overworked so that for them Christmas brings only fatigue and disappointment.

SEEN AND HEARD

These are the days of turkey hash and turkey soup.

You can save a lot of time by being sure where you want to go before starting.

The first time a girl is disappointed in love, she imagines she has nothing left to live for.

A woman's idea of a faithful man is one who is able to increase the admiration she has for herself.

An office seeker's love for his country is a good deal like that of a titled foreigner for an American heiress.

You can tell a man who has a good opinion of himself by the way he has a poor opinion of others.

A woman who runs a house filled with a big family earns a lot of money, but she never gets it.

A woman wants to get into society so she can pretend she was always there.

The average man thinks a latchkey is more important than the Ten Commandments.

The farther a man can travel away from his family the more they can fool themselves about how homesick he is.

Evil doesn't have to carry any insurance on itself for it can come out of fire, famine and plague stronger than it went in.

GETTING THE NEWS

How went the game, old friend? It seems I'm sadly out of plumb;

I've just waked up from ether dreams, My brain is rather numb.

I know my mind is somewhat weak, My body is the same.

'Tis quite a task for me to speak, But, say, how went the game?

I know they walked upon my face Until 'tis badly hacked.

My neck's completely out of place, And my legs are cracked.

I know their fulminant words, my nose— I can't recall his name!

I'm sure that eye I gave him shows, And, say, how went the game?

Oh, let us hear the story now; Speak up, I pray you, friend.

Just sit you down and tell me how We played it at the end.

We won! That works a wondrous spell, Though I am sick and lame.

I'll have no trouble getting well, Since we have won the game!

Chicago News.

A writer who says he has seen frequent mention in the papers recently of the disease known as Pellagra, wants to know the nature of it.

Pellagra is a disease said to be caused by a germ found in corn that has been stored long enough to develop a mould.

The disease is said to be prevalent in southern Europe, but recently has been discovered in this country.

The bookworm, found in certain sections of the south, is said to be the cause of a disease one of whose symptoms is profound laziness.

Dr. Stiles, who discovered the worm, says that persons who go barefoot a great deal may become infected with the worm through the soles of the feet.

The worms congregate in the intestines and, besides being lazy, the sufferers are unaccountably hungry.

The bookworm is believed to be the cause of the clay eating habit among the poorer classes of the south. The remedy is found in the use of one of the salts and a germicide.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

With more than 1500 "Dekes" in attendance, the largest college fraternity dinner ever held will be given for Commander Robert E. Peary on Saturday, Dec. 18, at the Hotel Astor by his brothers in Delta Kappa Upsilon.

A. Barton Hepburn will preside. The dinner is in charge of the following committee: James W. Curley (Yale), chairman; Allen B. A. Bradley (Dartmouth); William H. Clifford (Yale); Scott Stewart (Western Reserve); George R. Walker (Bow-

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It is probable that the late E. H. Harriman disposed of more money in fewer words than any man ever did before, but there have been some short willies in England. Lord Mansfield took half a sheet of note paper to dispose of his large fortune, and Sir James Stephen used just 13 words in his will. Lord Russell left \$1,000,000 with a dozen lines, and Lord Brampton disposed of much more with 400 words.

Kohler, Cleveland's famous "golden rule" police chief, has set out on a new crusade, and for once he has all the Cleveland papers on his side. He has declared war on "gun toters," and, as the Plain Dealer says, "even the Golden Rule apparently recognizes the danger of permitting armed men to roam at large, and suspends its mercy in the interest of justice."

Captain Grant Marsh, who brought the news of Custer's destruction to the outer world by the steamer Far West, which played so important a part in the Little Horn campaign, is the living hero of "The Conquest of the Missouri," by Joseph Mills Hanson, which A. McCharg & Co. publishers, Captain Marsh first shipped on a Missouri packet in 1854, and still piles on the river. From the earliest western migrations, through the Montana gold rushes, and the Sioux wars, he was in the forefront of the white advance over the Missouri's wild territory. The services he rendered to the United States government in its various campaigns were notable, and with his other exploits has enabled his biographer to write a book that combines the authority, accuracy, and fullness of a history of America's most important internal advance with the adventurous story of a brave man's career on the old-time river packets.

To offset the experiences of Federal Judge Landis, who refused to issue papers of naturalization to Heinrich Werle in Chicago, because the applicant, despite his thirteen years' residence in the United States, did not know what the word congress stood for and had never heard of a

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The plot is new, original and full of action with lightning touches of comedy scattered here and there. Some clever specialties by Miss Frankie McCoy, Wallace C. West, Sam Black and the Red Dog Comedy Trio are introduced. The staging is elaborate and a thoroughly enjoyable performance is promised.

"THE COUNTY SHERIFF." The new version of "The County Sheriff" will be presented at the Opera House on Friday and Saturday, Dec. 3 and 4.

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"THE HEART OF ALASKA." A new play from the pen of Henry D. Carey is said to be one of the really human plays of the season. As this little show it favors of the great far north which country should afford excellent food for a strong play.

"BREWSTER'S MILLIONS." Frederick Thompson, the manager and proprietor of "Brewster's Millions," has amply demonstrated the fact in his productions of a "Society Circus" and "A Yankee Circus on Mars," at the New York Hippodrome, that he is the greatest living master of startling stage illusions that America has yet produced. In the great third act scene of "Brewster's Millions," Mr. Thompson has by the manipulation of complicated mechanical devices and electricity produced the effect of angry waves mountains high and the audience can easily imagine itself on shipboard, so perfectly is the illusion presented and carried out.

"ELSIE JANIS." In "The Fair Co-Ed," which after an extraordinarily brilliant season in New York at last comes to the Opera House Dec. 10th, Miss Elsie Janis appears as the only girl student in the country college which has recently admitted the gentler sex to its scholastic shades. George Ade, whose other wonderful picture of undergraduate life, "The College Widow," charmed all America for two or three seasons, is the author of "The Fair Co-Ed," the music of which has been furnished by Gustav Luden, whose "The Girl in the Red Velvet" has been a triumph in the Prince of Wales.

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senator, a teacher in a New York public school said: "That will never happen to any of the immigrant children who have come under my observation. A little boy of fourteen who has been in this country about sixteen months and could speak only Russian when he came here, wrote the subject of his class on the subject of 'Elections' a few weeks ago, and a girl of thirteen, also in our school and also of Russian parents, knows more than any of her class about civil government. These are not exceptional cases, but the fathers of these bright pupils may be no wiser than Werle."

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE.

"Under the North Star" or "A Dash for the North Pole," an American play replete with doings in the far north was the attraction at the opera house last evening. A good sized audience was present and applauded the work of the actors.

The play tells a very interesting tale, and the remaining performances should be well attended. It tells of the discovery of the pole and shows the characters that inhabit the region. The play holds a great combination and includes a strong plot. Two men loved the same woman. The men were "Lieut. Richard Warden, U. S. N." and "Lieut. Frank Harding, U. S. N." acted by Robert A. Royal. The woman on the case was "Clara Benton," taken care of by Artie Mae Blackburn. She it was who had wonderful powers of discernment. She it was, too, who tossed over "Warden" for "Harding." But the two men went on the Arctic expedition together and that was where the villainy came in. It was in love, his dirty work. He didn't do it, though for even up around the Polar regions right and honor win the final toss.

George Summers, who has shone as an Irish comedian, is in the comedy part of "Harrigan," an able seaman. Every time that smacking good name is mentioned the Cohan masterpiece is played joyously by the arches. There was an Eskimo maid in the piece, too. Maxine Rosenberg essayed the part and achieved much. Then there was a saucy Irish girl, "Molly Brady," whose antics caused intense rivalry between certain sets of sailors. Lillian Sterling acted this part. James F. Houston was the "Capt. Harding, U. S. N." commander of the Arctic expedition. The other members of the cast played their parts well. The show will be repeated tonight and tomorrow afternoon and evening.

"THE MAN ON THE BOX." The Man on the Box will be presented here by a strong cast, special scenic settings and a production that is complete to the slightest detail, on Thursday, Dec. 2, at the Opera House.

The box of the title is the box of a carriage that was waiting to take Miss Elizabeth Annesley home from a ball at the British Embassy, in Washington.



WILMER WALTER, In "The Man on the Box."

For reasons of his own, "Bob Worburton," a lieutenant of the regular army, lately resigned, donned a coachman's livery, sprang upon that box and obstinately fixed himself there. The plot is new, original and full of action with lightning touches of comedy scattered here and there. Some clever specialties by Miss Frankie McCoy, Wallace C. West, Sam Black and the Red Dog Comedy Trio are introduced. The staging is elaborate and a thoroughly enjoyable performance is promised.

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"THE HEART OF ALASKA." A new play from the pen of Henry D. Carey is said to be one of the really human plays of the season. As this little show it favors of the great far north which country should afford excellent food for a strong play.

"BREWSTER'S MILLIONS." Frederick Thompson, the manager and proprietor of "Brewster's Millions," has amply demonstrated the fact in his productions of a "Society Circus" and "A Yankee Circus on Mars," at the New York Hippodrome, that he is the greatest living master of startling stage illusions that America has yet produced. In the great third act scene of "Brewster's Millions," Mr. Thompson has by the manipulation of complicated mechanical devices and electricity produced the effect of angry waves mountains high and the audience can easily imagine itself on shipboard, so perfectly is the illusion presented and carried out.

"ELSIE JANIS." In "The Fair Co-Ed," which after an extraordinarily brilliant season in New York at last comes to the Opera House Dec. 10th, Miss Elsie Janis appears as the only girl student in the country college which has recently admitted the gentler sex to its scholastic shades. George Ade, whose other wonderful picture of undergraduate life, "The College Widow," charmed all America for two or three seasons, is the author of "The Fair Co-Ed," the music of which has been furnished by Gustav Luden, whose "The Girl in the Red Velvet" has been a triumph in the Prince of Wales.

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Makes the finest grained and lightest breads and cake.

THEATRE VOYONS

The Theatre Voyons offers today as its leading feature the stirring and sensational historical picture, "Custer's Last Stand or the Battle of the Little Big Horn." This battle is rated as the most important of any that the Indians and the regulars ever fought in the west. Hundreds of redskins appear in the picture and they are all correctly costumed in full war regalia and paint. Several savage ceremonies including a war dance are introduced. Another feature that will appeal to the lovers of the beautiful will be "Tulips," a beautiful colored picture. There are other pictures of interest and two illustrated song sung more than usually well.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

There's a pretty good show at the Hathaway this week and there's an absence of sameness that's particularly refreshing. The attendances yesterday afternoon and evening were large, and according to applause the bill was appreciated. "Won by a Leg," a humorous sketch by Lincoln J. Carter is presented by Gordon Eldrid & Co. Carter must have been full of tickles when he thought out this bit of nonsense which is as funny as it is absurd. The story has to do with a rich young fellow who falls in love with a very pretty girl. After being away for some time he is about to visit her. Just to test his love for her she feigns deafness and dumbness. The rich young fellow has had a standing complaint about girls talking too much and he allowed that he could stand for a little girl who says no word. As he goes to see her, he is a little at the deafness and almost blew himself to pieces in attempting to pour out his love through an ear trumpet. He goes through enough to convince the pretty girl that he "really and truly" loves her and then she goes to him with all the sweetness of her former self. He feels "stump," but stands for the joke. Way down deep in his heart, however, there's one great big bunch of a desire to get square and two months later he returns the joke. He comes to see the pretty girl and he has a sad, sad story to tell. He reaches her home and she crutches and aims a leg—for the time being. It is up to him to see how steadfast she might prove and he told of his terrible misfortune in a railroad wreck. He lost his leg in the wreck and his money in the stock market, but that didn't faze the good looking girl. He still feazes the good looking girl. He goes through and the fun that develops while he tries to keep up the cork leg bluff are certainly rich. Then the blue is discovered and he and the pretty girl live happily until the next performance.

UNCLE SAM'S THIRTEENTH CENSUS

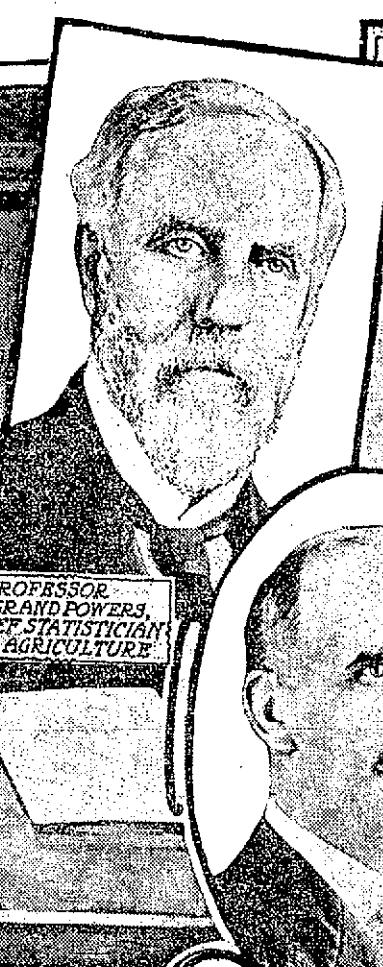
Of Population, Farms, Factories, Mines and Quarries



WILLIAM F. WILLOUGHBY,
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF CENSUS



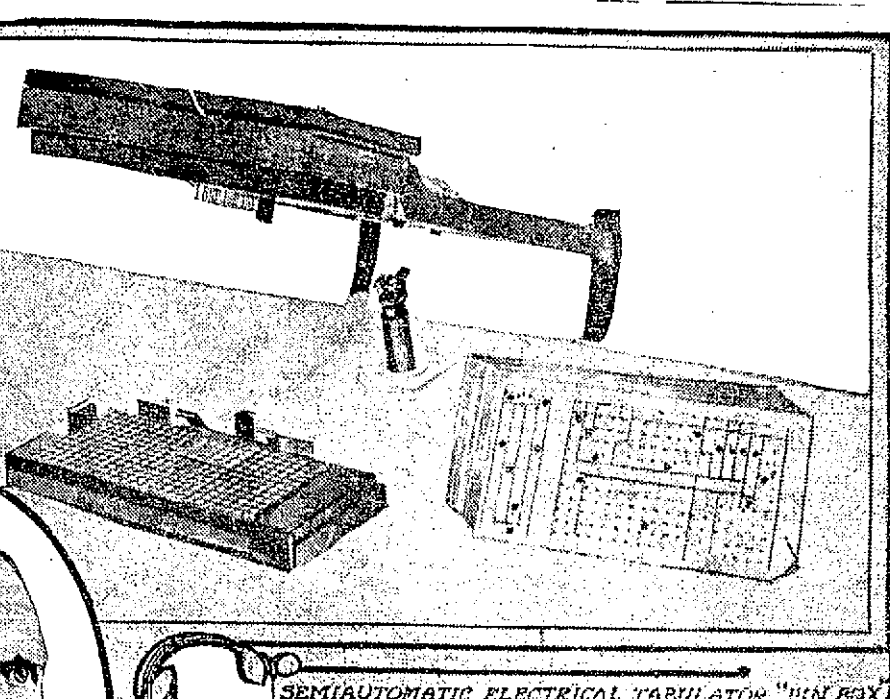
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SEMI-AUTOMATIC ELECTRICAL TABULATOR, "PIN BOX" ATTACHMENT AND STACK OF CARDS AWAITING TABULATION.

OLD Dr. U. S. Census will begin making his thirteenth diagnosis of the condition of Uncle Sam and his family April 15 next. He made the first in 1790 and has been repeating it every ten years since. Uncle Sam has footed the bills, to date amounting to about \$47,000,000. Our venerable dad has calculated that the thirteenth investigation will cost about \$13,000,000, so that when old Dr. U. S. Census finishes his current work there will have been spent about \$60,000,000 for this purpose since 1790.

The twelfth census cost about \$13,000,000, and as Uncle Sam's landed possessions have increased since then and his family gained about 16,000,000 more members than belonged to it in 1900 it would be considered no more than fair if the present diagnosis were to call for the spending of about \$13,000,000, which would be the sum if the rate of increase of expense at each census up to the twelfth were to be maintained for the thirteenth.

A census expert has estimated that of the \$13,000,000 the headquarters office force will earn \$4,800,000; the enumerators, \$4,500,000; the supervisors, \$910,000; and the special agents, \$700,000. The administrative cost will be \$300,000; the stationery, \$200,000; rent, \$125,000; tabulating machines, \$250,000; cards for tabulation processes, \$100,000; printing, \$800,000; Alaska, \$85,000; Porto Rico, \$160,000. Total, \$12,930,000.

If that is all the expense it is cheap. The late General Francis A. Walker, who was a census authority greater than any other, living or dead, once

wrote that "the people of the United States can well afford to pay for the very best census they can get." He penned this in connection with a frank confession of his own shortsightedness in underestimating the cost of the tenth census.

It's the old story. When you are ill, get the best doctor you can afford. The comparative cheapness with which the thirteenth census will be taken will be largely due to Director E. Dana Durand's economical methods, to the introduction of semiautomatic electrical card punching, tabulating and sorting machines and to the inheritance of wisdom from the experience gained by the permanent census bureau. During the term of the latter, which now is in a sort of state of suspended animation pending the taking of the decennial census, the methods of inquiry, tabulation and compilation have been greatly improved both in accuracy and in economy. Millions will be saved.

Modern Methods For Accuracy.

Mr. Durand is responsible for many of the new methods to increase statistical accuracy at every step of the

census taking and to decrease the per capita cost of the enumeration. The card punching, tabulating and sorting machinery is the invention of a census mechanical expert, and the patent rights belong to Uncle Sam. The machines are novel in plan and design, are of greater speed and efficiency than those they superseded and can be built and operated at a large saving of money as compared with previous expenditures for this purpose.

Other money saving features are the elimination of the vital statistics inquiry from the work of the decennial census, as it belongs to the permanent branch of the United States census; the reduction in the number of schedules, the piece price method of paying for machine work, the omission of the hand, household and neighborhood industries from the manufactures branch of the census, and the reduction of the size and number of copies of the final reports.

The larger part of the \$13,000,000 will be expended in the fiscal year which began July 1 last and ends June 30, 1910, the first of the three years within which time the thirteenth census must be over, the temporary clerks

and special agents discharged and the permanent census bureau with its office force of 700 clerks again performing its annual intercensal functions. Fully half of the total to be expended will be Washington's share, and the remainder will be distributed all over the country. Washington needs the money and is preparing to absorb the millions into its circulatory system.

Congress has limited the thirteenth census to four general subjects—population, agriculture, manufactures and mines and quarries. The director is authorized to determine the form and subdivision of inquiries. The inquiry as to population relates to April 15, 1910; that as to agriculture concerns the farm operations during 1909 and calls for an inventory of farm equipment April 15, 1910; that relative to manufactures and mines and quarries is for 1909.

An Army to Get the Facts.

The enumerators will carry only the population and agriculture schedules April 15, 1910. Special agents will be sent out with the schedules for the manufactures, mines and quarries data.

There will be fully 65,000 enumerators, of whom about 45,000 will carry both the population and agriculture schedules, as it is estimated that there are now fully 7,000,000 separate farms in America, with farmers numbering well up into a score of millions. In 1900 there were many more millions of dollars of fixed capital invested in agriculture than there were in manufactures, strange as it may seem. And the farmer is getting better off all the time; his mortgage indebtedness is decreasing fast; his taxation is small as compared with the urbanite's burden, and he has taken to automobile riding on a large scale.

This is the heyday of the farmer, and old Dr. U. S. Census is going to diagnose him pretty carefully for fear that with ease comes evil—that is, the neglect of those essentials which have made his prosperity possible.

Census taking every ten years is a tremendous task. It is the greatest single operation undertaken by Uncle Sam, with the exception of the Panama canal work and the assembling of an army in time of war. The American census is the largest, costliest and most accurate of any taken by the civilized

nations. Its methods are the most modern and its equipment the most complete. The census bureau force comprises, first, Director E. Dana Durand of Michigan, who, although only thirty-eight years old, is older than most of the generals commanding the forces in the civil war and who is, too, a statistically scarred hero, a veteran in government service and likely to prove the most practical and efficient director connected with any of the past censuses. Then there is the assistant director, William F. Willoughby of Washington, former secretary of state of Porto Rico. Next in rank are the five chief statisticians—William C. Hunt, in charge of the population division; Le Grand Powers, heading the agricultural division; William M. Stewart, overseeing the manufactures division; Dr. Cressy L. Wilbur, the vital statistics work, and Dr. Joseph Adna Hill, the division of revision and results. Charles S. Sloane is the geographer, Albertus H. Baldwin is the chief clerk, Volter V. Viles is chief of the publication division, Hugh M. Brown is private secretary to the director, Robert M. Pindell, Jr., is the appointment clerk, George Johannes is the disbursing officer and C. W. Spicer is the mechanical expert. In addition to these are the chiefs of the divisions under the chief statisticians.

There are about 750 permanent clerks, and there will be 3,000 temporary clerks, etc. The supervisors will number 330, and they will employ and direct the 65,000 enumerators. Twenty expert special agents will exercise an advisory function. There will be about 1,600 chief special agents and assistant special agents. The supervisors will also probably employ 1,000 clerks, 500 special agents and 4,000 interpreters to assist them in the direction of the enumerators.

The enumeration must be finished within two weeks in the cities of 5,000 population or over at the last census and within thirty days in all other areas.

Tabulating the Returns.

The preparation of the schedules for the tabulating process will begin as soon as they are forwarded by the supervisors. The data on them relating to population will be transferred to manila cards by the punching of holes in them in correspondence with the different items in the schedules. An electrical machine controlled by a clerk can punch holes in 3,000 cards a day. There will be 300 of these, and 90,000,000 cards have been ordered.

After the punching the cards are hand fed into an electric tabulating machine with a "pin box" attachment, which permits the required pins to pass through the variously placed holes in the cards, in this way establishing an electric circuit, resulting in the tabulation of the items on counters which register their results in printing on spoiled paper somewhat like a stock ticker. There will be a hundred of these machines. After certain comparisons to prove accuracy the schedules are permanently preserved in a great iron safe in the census bureau. As the card does not contain the name of the person for whom it stands, all personal identity is eliminated from the cards. All danger of misuse of such information disappears. Severe penalties are provided in case any employee discloses census information to outsiders. The next step is the making of the maps and tables to accompany the analyses and then, finally, the issue of the printed bulletins and reports. Before July 1, 1912, the work must be over and the thirteenth census gone to join its scientific ancestors.

PHILIP DARWIN.

Sixty-first Congress Is In Sight

First Winter Session of the Taft Administration Promises to Be Unusually Active. Forecast of Legislation and Important Appointments.

THE congress that meets Monday, Dec. 6, next, will be the first regular session of the Sixty-first congress. The session that met Monday, March 15, was a special one, called by President Taft to consider the tariff.

The session will be unusually active if it undertakes to carry out the expectations of the president, who returned from the record presidential jaunt Nov. 10. Some of the things outlined by him are the following:

Of first consideration are the conservation of the country's resources and the reclamation of arid lands. The president was evidently impressed in his journey with the earnestness of the west on these propositions.

He will recommend that the government shall reserve some control on the water power sites and the coal lands and phosphates of the country in order that they may not come into the control of any one corporation.

He will ask for legislation for a more rigid enforcement of the anti-trust law that it may be more effective. He will also ask an amendment to the interstate commerce law in order

to give the interstate tribunal more power to prevent the delays which are now incident to appeals to the courts. To do this he will suggest the creation of a special court and have a court that will be charged with the knowledge and practice in regard to railroads, so that whatever comes up may be promptly disposed of.

He will strongly favor a postal savings bank. He hopes that the monetary commission in its report may point out some steps to reform what he regards as nothing but patchwork in that respect. He will recommend an improvement of the legal procedure of the country so as to make it, both in criminal and civil cases, more simple, more rapid and less expensive. To this end he will recommend to congress the appointment of a commission to take up this subject with respect to the federal procedure, and if by the federal procedure satisfactory results are achieved it will form a model for the states.

What other matters may be recommended remains to be seen, but those mentioned are full of live interest, and some of them will bring the two wings

of the president's party face to face. While President Taft is of a sunny and optimistic temperament, he is an ever-lasting worker and will doubtless show that he can be as vigilant as was the late President Cleveland.

In addition to recommendations to congress, President Taft will have other important matters to consider. Appointments that concern the country are to be considered very soon, but it is intimated that they will not be made before the new year. A minister to China will probably come first, growing out of the recall of Charles R. Crane. A successor to the late Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Rufus Wheeler Peckham is to be selected. In all probability an ambassador to the court of St. James will be named before long to succeed Ambassador Whitelaw Reid. An assistant secretary in the department of commerce and labor is to be named.

The Republican majority in the senate will be reduced by one on account of the appointment of Fountain L. Thompson of North Dakota to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Martin L. Johnson, which occurred after the

adjournment of the special session. Johnson was a Republican. Thompson is a Democrat. His appointment to fill the vacancy was made Nov. 10 by Governor Burke, who is a Democrat. Thompson is one of the leaders of his party in his state, but his officeholding has been confined to county offices. In the lower house a new representative will take the place of William Lorimer of Chicago, who was elected United States senator last spring by the Illinois legislature. However, the Republicans will continue to have a majority in both branches.

Practically a new face in the lower house will be James H. Cassidy, elected last April to succeed Theodore E. Burton, who was elected United States senator from Ohio last winter. Burton had represented the district in Ohio comprised of the city of Cleveland. Cassidy was elected to succeed him last April. He was present during a part of the special session and had the distinction of being the youngest representative.

The re-election of Speaker Cannon at the beginning of the special session does away with an exciting and interesting event that usually comes before the lower house of a new congress.

The new executive offices will be the most spacious yet provided for a chief magistrate of the United States. Since August workmen have been adding to the old executive offices of the White House proper. The new addition is built over the old Roosevelt tennis court. The court lay just outside of the old presidential offices, and it was there that President Roosevelt and his so-called "tennis cabinet," composed of the younger members of the administration, took their exercise. The cost of the new offices, combined with the cost of the offices erected during the administration of President Roosevelt, will represent an actual outlay of about \$100,000, exclusive of the cost of tearing down the old building preparatory to erecting the new addition.

Three new men in the administration circle will be Mr. Lee McClung, recently appointed treasurer of the United States by President Taft; C. D. Norton, late accession to the treasury department as an assistant secretary, and Professor A. P. Andrews, director of the mint.

For a number of years multimillions of the land have been gravitating toward Washington as a residential city during the winter and early spring. Every year it has been becoming more and more a city of magnificent homes. More than 150 mansions of imposing architecture, with furnishings in accord with the exteriors, have added to the beauty of the capital in the last few years. One approaching completion is that of Mrs. S. S. Wyeth on Massachusetts avenue. Its style is of Louis XVI. design, and the interior decorations are most elaborate and unique. It is only one of many. The broad avenues that radiate from the capital building are miles of mansions such as few cities can present.

HOMER RIVERS.

Governors Called to Washington

Conference of State Executives to Discuss Conservation Matters—Scope of the House of Governors Proposed by William George Jordan.

IN his speech at Memphis, Tenn., Oct. 26, while he was en route to New Orleans, President Taft extended an invitation to the twenty-two governors who were accompanying him down the river to attend a third conference of governors at Washington in December of this year.

The first conference of governors occurred at the national capital May 13, 1908. Of the number invited thirty-two reported. New Mexico, Arizona, Alaska, Hawaii and Porto Rico were also represented. Others came in later.

The second conference was held in Washington, Dec. 8, 1908. Mr. Taft as president elect was there, as were also representatives from Canada.

The conference next month is for the purpose of taking up the questions discussed at the previous conferences—conserving the natural resources of the country by preserving the forests, irrigating arid lands and improving the waterways. In referring to the omission of congress to make any appropriation for the meeting of the governors President Taft told the governors at Memphis that they need not stay away on that account, as the White House lawstraining would be where every governor could put his hand on it.

The National Civic federation will be in session next month in Washington, and the president said he would like the governors to meet the civics and get acquainted.

The idea of a conference of governors did not originate with President Roosevelt, but was the aftermath of a proposition made by William George Jordan, formerly editor of the Saturday Evening Post, in 1907. The Jordan idea was more far-reaching than the conferences already mentioned, and it is not to be confounded with the meetings held in Washington. Mr. Jordan communicated his idea to President Roosevelt, who soon thereafter called the conferences held during his administration. The Jordan suggestion was for a house of governors, and it is so designated in the pamphlet issued by him in 1907. The scope of the institution proposed by Mr. Jordan is stated concisely in his pamphlet as follows:

"It is proposed that the governors of the forty-six states meet annually for a session of two or three weeks to discuss, consult and confer on vital questions affecting the welfare of the states, the unifying of state laws and the closer unity of the states as a nation. The house of governors would have no lawmaking power, nor should it ever aspire to such power. Its force would be in initiative, in suggestion and in influence. The governors would seek to unite on a general basis of action



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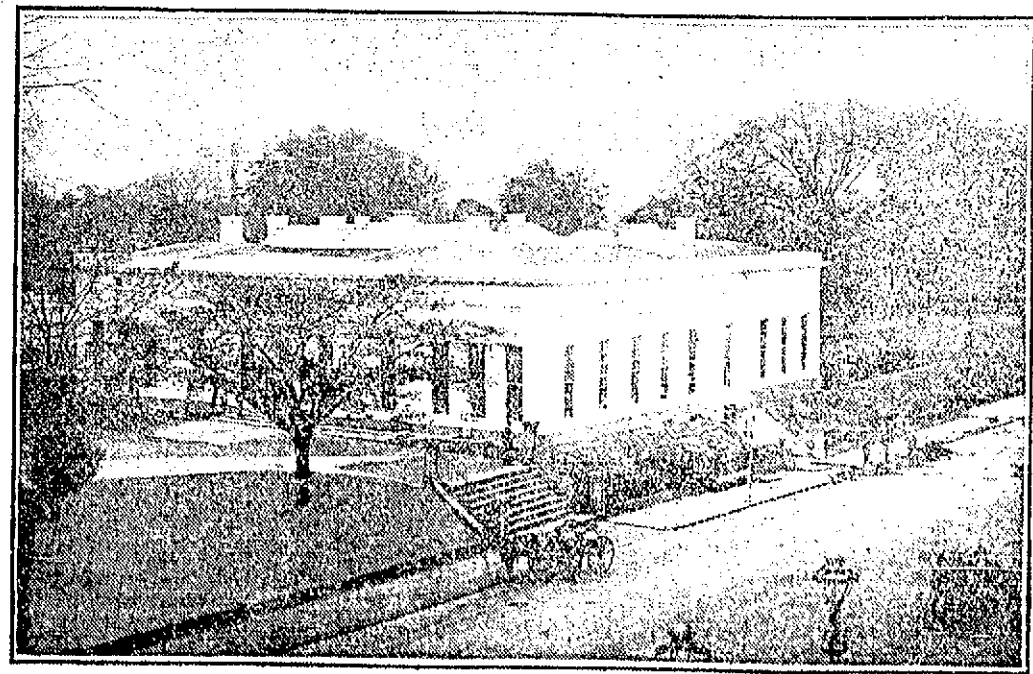
WILLIAM GEORGE JORDAN.

on great questions to be submitted to the legislatures of the respective states in the governors' messages. It would seem that an august, dignified body of forty-six governors, representing their states, with the lawmaking power of forty-six legislatures behind them, should in time become an inherent part in the American idea of self-government and a powerful factor for good in the nation."

It is also the Jordan idea that the meetings of the house of governors shall be annual and that the place of the meeting shall not be in Washington, but successively in state capitals selected by vote of the house or by decision of a committee. It also suggests that the president of the United States have no part in the meetings. Mr. Jordan's proposition was referred to an executive committee of

five, consisting of Governors Augustus E. Wilson of Kentucky, Claude F. Swanson of Virginia, Charles E. Hughes of New York, Edmund F. Noel of Mississippi and James N. Gillett of California. Governor Swanson's term as governor of Virginia expires next year.

The conference of governors in Washington next month has no connection. It should be understood, with the proposition of Mr. Jordan. They will discuss the conservation propositions which the other conferences considered, and especially the deep waterway question that was considered at New Orleans. Chief among the interested governors on this question are Governor Denney of Illinois, Governor Quinby of New Hampshire and possibly Ex-Governor Blanchard of Louisiana. SANDFORD OWENS.



NEW WHITE HOUSE OFFICE BUILDING.

SERIOUS CHARGE

Italian Boy is Accused of Using a Blackjack

HAVERHILL, Nov. 29.—Crouching beneath a bed in an upper story room of a house on Ayer st. at midnight Sunday, Angelo Del Rosso, charged with assaulting a fellow countryman with a blackjack, a knife and his teeth, was found by Patrolman Howard R. Shute, who had a warrant for his arrest. He was locked up after his father had told the police that the prisoner was over 17 years of age.

The affair occurred on River street late Sunday night, when Del Rosso became enraged at being asked about some money he had borrowed from Peter Grassi to buy clothing. The wordy encounter was brief, and without warning, it is alleged, he pulled the blackjack from his pocket and struck Grassi on the head.

Other Italians who witnessed the blow quickly closed in on the youth and he was disarmed. He is said to have then pulled a knife from his pocket and made a lunge, but that before he could execute his designs the weapon was wrested from him and he was borne to the ground. As the others attempted to restrain him, he wiggled toward Grassi and sunk his teeth in the man's leg.

As soon as he was released he ran away, but by that time the news of the fight had reached the police. Pa-

troelman Shute heard that the boy was in a house on Ayer street, but the people there vigorously denied all knowledge of young Del Rosso's whereabouts. The policeman concluded to satisfy himself and no opposition was offered to his search. He discovered the youth huddled beneath a bed.

He was detained at police headquarters because of his claim that he was only 15 years old, which under the juvenile law would prevent his being locked up without the probation officers and his parents being notified. Capt. Hill learned from the boy's father that the boy was over 17 years of age. Yesterday morning there was some doubt as to his age and with the records in Italy it was difficult to determine it. He was, therefore, taken into the juvenile court for trial and the witnesses told of the assault. The boy denied the charges and said he was set upon by the men and used the blackjack after he had been thrown to the ground.

He said that he found the weapon Sunday, but evidence was offered to show that he had been in possession of it for at least two months. Judge Fuller told him that he believed he was lying and warned him of the seriousness of the offence, which, the court told him, was even more serious than the assault. The boy insisted that his story was true and he refused to change his testimony.

The police said he has been in trouble before, that he has used the same weapon before and that he is a dangerous character. The court decided to commit him pending inquiry at the penal institution.

ALABAMA VOTERS

Are Not in Favor of Prohibition

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Nov. 30.—Alabama yesterday rejected a prohibition amendment to the state constitution by a majority estimated at from 20,000 to 30,000 votes. Yesterday's election was the first popular expression in Alabama on the subject.

With 50 out of 67 counties heard from at 10 o'clock, the Montgomery Advertiser places the majority against the amendment at 37,500. Only four counties appear to have given majority for the amendment.

The state wide prohibition bill was passed by a legislature which had been elected on a local option platform; and, while several counties had declared for prohibition under the local option act, the voters of the entire state had never before been called on to pass on the question direct.

In Birmingham hundreds of people were crowded around each polling place, women and children were singing and brass bands, stationed by the anti-amendment forces, were playing patriotic airs.

Each polling place was enlivened by its quota of fist fights, there being so many it was impossible to keep track of them. Feeling was so high that a few words were sufficient to bring on blows. Every other voter was challenged and required to make affidavit to being a qualified elector. This delayed the casting of ballots considerably; but, in spite of handicaps, the vote was heavy.

As an instance of the deep feeling displayed, a preacher, on whose coat a young woman attempted to pin a white ribbon at the polling booth, declined, telling her it was improper for young women to speak in the street to men whom they did not know. The woman began crying and the preacher apologized for hurting her feelings, but said the polling places were improper places for young women. The affair was taken up all over the city and parishans commended or denounced the conduct of the preacher, according to their sentiments on the question at stake.

Farmers voted largely against the amendment. Most of the larger counties went heavily against the measure. White women and children were at the polls in many places their presence did not affect the votes to any extent.

Oscar Hall, tax commissioner of Baldwin county, fell dead at his home in Bay Minette a few minutes after voting for the amendment. Physicians said death was due to heart disease.

REV. FR. GROLEAU

Eminent Dominican to Give Mission Here

A mission for women will be held next week at Notre Dame de Lourdes parish and will be conducted by Rev. Fr. Groleau, O. P., formerly superior of the Dominican monastery at Fall River and now apostolic missionary to the diocese of Springfield. The mission is held preparatory for the feast of the Immaculate Conception, which falls on December 8.

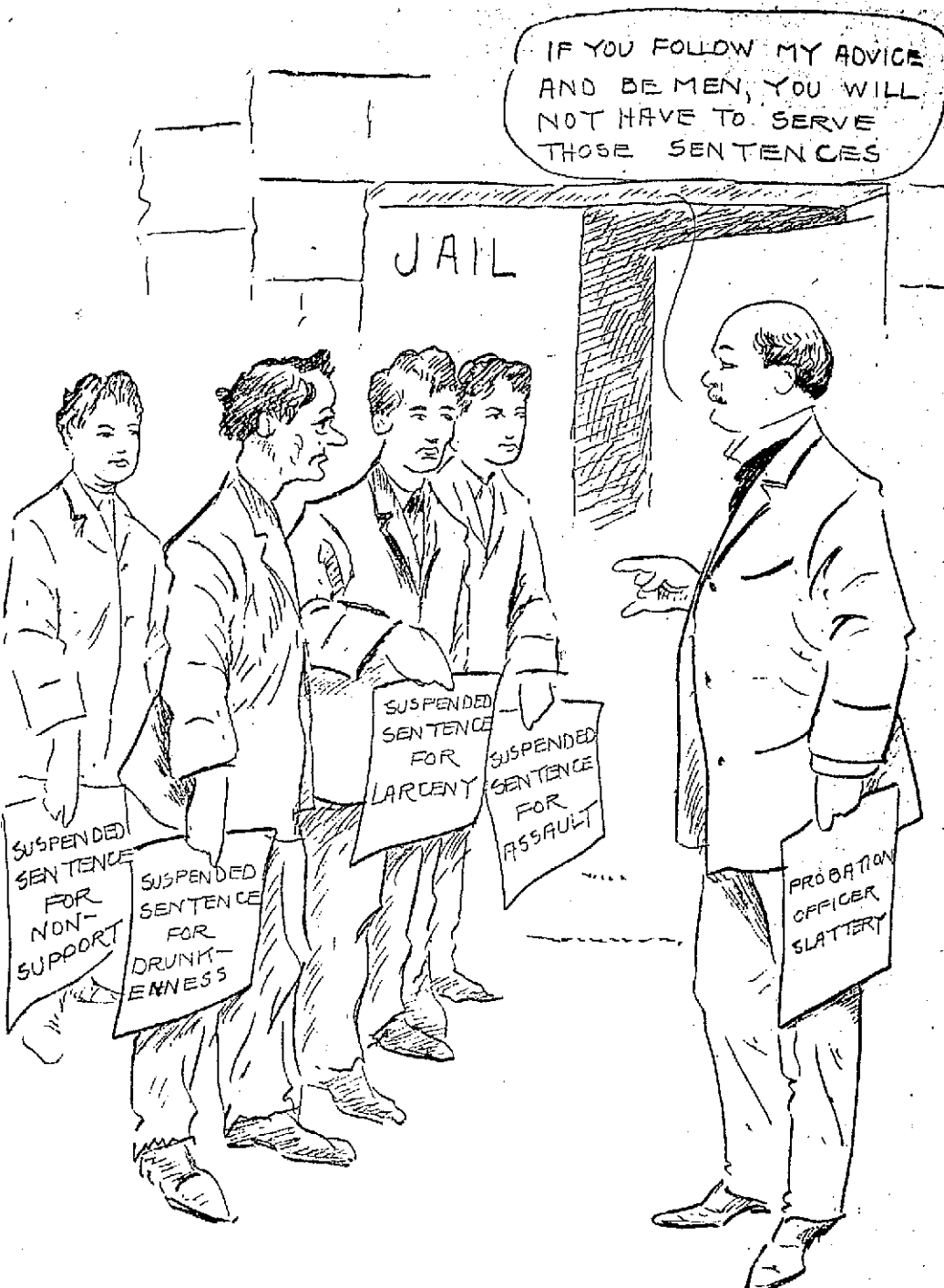
Rev. Fr. Groleau is one of the most eminent members of his order in the United States, and one of the best French Catholic speakers in the country. He will preach his first sermon next Sunday night.

A week's mission for the same purpose and also for the young women, will be opened in St. Joseph's parish also on the same day. At St. Louis church, a triduum only will be held.

The Forty Hours' devotion in St. Joseph's parish will be held next week, beginning next Sunday at high mass at St. Joseph's church.

At all the masses at the Sacred Heart church Sunday the pastor, Rev. T. W. Smith, O. S. A., said that there would be a retreat for the women of the parish, married and single, commencing on the feast of the Immaculate Conception, Wednesday, Dec. 8th, and closing Sunday evening, Dec. 12th. This evening at 7:30 o'clock the Children of Mary society will hold its regular monthly meeting in the lower church. All the members are invited to be present.

At St. Peter's church, the newly formed sodality of the Immaculate Conception will meet this evening under direction of Rev. W. George Mulvihill. There will be a reception into this sodality on December 8th.



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13 LIVES LOST ARSON CHARGED ARTIST'S WIFE

In Wreck of Coasting Schooner

NORTH SYDNEY, N. S., Nov. 30.—Thirteen lives are believed to have been lost in the wreck of the coasting schooner Little Jap, the battered hull of which was washed ashore at Red Cliff on the west coast of New Foundland, on November 9 and it is believed that she was one of the many victims of the great gale of November 10.

Six widows and fifteen children are left helpless by the wreck. The vessel registered 50 tons and carried 700 quintals of dry fish. The government had sent out two steamers to search for the Little Jap since the great storm.

HERD OF IBEX

BAKER CITY MAN TRYING TO GET ONE

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 30.—Hoping to save the only herd of ibex known to exist on the American continent, W. R. Parker, of Baker City, Ore., is in Portland, where he will seek to have the state or federal government surround Eagle mountain, in the Cornucopia range, Eastern Oregon, with a game preserve that the few remaining animals of this species may be saved from the big game hunter.

Mr. Parker astonished hunters recently when he announced he had found a herd of ibex in the almost inaccessible parts of Mount Eagle. Because of his experience as a hunter and guide, his statement was not openly doubted but proof was wanted. He returned to the mountain and shot three specimens that were brought out, photographed and stuffed. In telling of his discovery this week, Mr. Parker said:

"We went into the Cornucopia mountains in 1906 after deer, having been in the habit of following that sport every spring. We first located three ibex but later my brother found about 25 in all. The animals have not been molested, so far as I know, since the fall of that year, when I killed the specimens referred to for scientific purposes. We have always refused to guide hunters to their feeding grounds. This country is now filling up with settlers and in my opinion it will only be a short time until somebody runs into the haunts of the little herd of ibex, the only animals of that species known to exist on the continent. Some protection should be afforded them, and I stand ready to give the proper officials all the information we have gathered. If the ibex are not protected they will probably soon disappear. I think a game preserve should be thrown around this mountain at once."

DEXTER SMITH DEAD

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Dexter Smith, 32 years ago one of the best known musical critics in the country, and the author of several songs which had a wide popularity, died Sunday night at his home in the Back Bay, having dropped dead while walking on the street. Mr. Smith was born in Salem in 1855. Among his popular songs were "Put Me in My Little Bed" and "Cross and Crown."

Three Men Placed Under Arrest

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—An alleged conspiracy to defraud insurance companies by removing a stock of goods from a Summer street fire store and then setting fire to the store was unearthed by the police last night, who placed under arrest Samuel J. Gordon and Morris Rudwick on the charge of arson, and Benjamin Davies, charged with being an accessory, and later, through raids, recovered some \$5000 worth of furs hidden in a shed in Dorchester.

The arrests are the result of a fire at the premises of Samuel J. Gordon & Co., fur dealers, 119 Summer street, on June 19 last. Following the fire a claim of \$3500 insurance was put in by the firm. The insurance inspectors on investigation found only remains of empty boxes in the store supposed to be well supplied with furs.

The police claim to have received their first intimation of the real state of affairs through Morris August, one of the firm. As a result the arrests were made late yesterday.

Last night the police went to Intervale street in Dorchester and recovered a part of the \$20,000 stock which was supposed to have been in the store at the time of the fire, the value of the seizure last night being about \$5000. The police will make further search for it today.

KING ATTENDS OPERA

PARIS, Nov. 30.—King Manuel of Portugal attended a performance at the opera last evening, and this was made the occasion of another exploit by "King" Dantada, secretary of the electricians union. A few minutes before the performance began he sent an ultimatum to the management that the salaries of the electricians must be increased or the current would be cut off. M. Broussan, director of the opera, had no alternative but to comply with the demand.

King Manuel paid a visit yesterday afternoon to Versailles and later enjoyed a stroll in the boulevards.

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Is Ready to Forgive Her Husband

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—"If Howard wants to make up, all he has to do is to take me in his arms and I will forgive everything and forget all our troubles," said Mrs. Howard Chandler Christy, wife of the artist, at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Hall, here, yesterday, as she discussed the status of the Christy family differences.

She expressed this willingness to forgive and forget when informed that Mr. Christy had said in Zanesville, O., where he is contesting the habeas corpus proceedings brought by his wife to recover possession of their 10-year-old daughter, Nathalie, that she must take the first step toward a reconciliation.

Mrs. Christy added that she was willing to do almost anything to effect the reconciliation, except to go to Zanesville to live.

Zanesville and some of her husband's relatives there, she said, had caused most of the troubles. "I did not want any court proceedings," continued the artist's young wife, vigorously. "And the only reason I brought them was to get Nathalie back. I want our little girl, but I want Howard more. We can all be happy together again here in the east."

"If Howard will only see things in this light we can have a happy Christmas together."

TRACTS OF LAND

MAY HAVE BEEN BOUGHT FOR NEW HAVEN ROAD

SACO, Me., Nov. 30.—Fred C. Bradbury, agent for the syndicate which is buying hundreds of acres of land in this city and Old Orchard, secured an option on a large bit of farm property on the Ferry road yesterday. In all hundreds of acres were optioned for six months.

The property is owned by Warren Scamman, Almon Wakefield, Melville Small, Joseph Bouquette, Geo. F. McKenney and Frank Church. The agent is after much more land in this section of the city. In all about \$75,000 worth has been bargained for.

While there are many rumors as to the use of the land no positive information can be obtained, although parties who claim to have information say it is for the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. It is certain that the project is one of the biggest ever known in this part of the state. It is understood that \$100,000 will be paid for land before the deal is completed.

EXPECTS NEW CHURCH

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 30.—On the eve of John D. Rockefeller's departure for the east, Rev. W. W. Bustard, pastor of the Euclid Avenue Baptist church, announced last night at the annual banquet of the Men's club that he expects a great institutional church to be erected in the near future on the site of the present structure.

"And there will be a place in it for receiving the had as well as the good," said he.

Both Rev. Charles A. Eaton, former pastor, and Dr. Bustard, present pastor, have urged upon Mr. Rockefeller the need of such an edifice and it is believed that Dr. Bustard's prediction of a structure of the kind is inspired.

ADMIRAL PHELPS

Received Sealed Orders From Washington

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—It was learned last night on what appears thoroughly good authority that Rear Admiral Phelps, commandant of the Mare Island navy yard, received a telegram from Washington yesterday which is in the nature of sealed orders, since it is not to be opened until Dec. 1; and it is believed to relate to the Nicaraguan situation.

The arrival of the message and a short one preceding it which set the time for its perusal is given peculiar importance because the gunboat Princeton, which sailed from Bremerton navy yard Sunday en route to Corinto, will arrive at Mare Island early on Dec. 1, to load stores and ammunition.

The unopened message, it is stated, is the longest received at the Mare Island navy yard since the Spanish-American war. Navy yard officials believe it to be orders relative to preparations for naval activity, presumably on the Nicaraguan situation.

Orders relating to orders received by the Princeton the gunboat is to proceed to Corinto with all possible speed and join the Vicksburg now at that port.

PHILIP W. AYRES

SAYS WHITE MOUNTAIN REGION IS A FOREST COUNTRY

"The White Mountain region is naturally a forest country," says Philip W. Ayres, in an article on the Commercial Importance of the White Mountain Forests, which the U. S. forest service has just published in circular form.

"The rocky soil, steep slopes, and high elevations prevent the use of the land for agriculture, except in a few favored places. The forests that cover the mountains are partly primeval, partly culled, and in places they have been injured severely by fire. Their resources are of great and far-reaching value, for their use extends not only throughout New England, but also in the form of newspaper manufactured from spruce and in other manufactured products, throughout the entire country."

"The persistent widespread advance in the price of lumber, products have been felt throughout the land. It has already affected directly all forms of business that deal primarily with wood, such as the building trades, the woodworking factories, ties for railway construction and repair, and mine props, and indirectly other business, such as farming, in which the cost of a barn or a wagon is much greater than heretofore. It is confidently asserted that the rise in the price of lumber which marks the opening of the present century, is the beginning of a greater and more rapid rise which is to come, and the suffering which will result from the progressive failure of our timber resources, but finally founded by the recent temporary scarcity of coal."

"There has been reckless waste of the vast forest wealth of the nation, which is still going on, but changes for the better are being made in important directions. The more thoughtful lumbermen see the issue clearly and have begun to treat the forest more conservatively. Some have bought up large tracts, against the coming scarcity. The government has established national forests in the west, which will in part meet the ever-growing demand for timber in that section of the country.

"The even flow of water from mountain forests is of utmost importance. Commerce and manufactures depend upon it. The White Mountains form the great watershed of New England. Five of the most important rivers of New England, each having remarkable water power, take their rise in the heights of northern New Hampshire in Maine. These rivers are the Connecticut, the Merrimack, the Saco, the Androscoggin and the Kennebec. The growth of many of the most progressive and populous cities in New England has depended upon the development of water powers on these rivers. So it may be said that the timber which is being cut in New England is being cut for the benefit of the nation. Moreover, each summer the mountain affords rest and recreation to many thousands of people from all parts of the country."

BUCK DEER

DISPUTED RIGHT OF WAY WITH TRAIN

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 30.—With his head held high in air, his antlers proudly erect, and his feet planted firmly on the railroad track, a big buck deer, disputed the right of way with a fast passenger train near Knappa, Ore., on the Astoria & Columbia River railroad a few days ago. The engineer whistled repeatedly but the buck stood his ground, glaring defiance at the headlight of the locomotive. The engine won the contest and there was but little left of the deer after the engine passed, small pieces of widely scattered venison being the only evidence of the duel.

SEN. ALDRICH

SAYS PANIC COST UNITED STATES \$2,000,000,000

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Nelson W. Aldrich, United States senator from Rhode Island and chairman of the national monetary commission, told a representative gathering of men at the Hotel Astor last night that the panic of 1907 cost the United States more than two billion dollars. He made this declaration in addressing members of the Economic club of New York, which was holding its annual banquet with the monetary commission and ex-Ambassador Henry White and Ambassa-

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der David Jayne Hill as the guests of honor.

As he emphasized the necessity for a change in the monetary system of this country, Senator Aldrich said:

"The disastrous results of that crisis (the panic of 1907) can never be completely measured. Its destructive influences were felt throughout the world, and the United States escaped only by the narrowest margin a total collapse of all credit and the wholesale destruction of all values."

J. Pierpont Morgan was among the 1200 persons at the banquet. Ex-Ambassador White and Ambassador Hill spoke briefly.

NICARAGUAN MINISTER TALKS

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 30.—Francisco Castro, Nicaraguan minister to Mexico, in response to an inquiry regarding a rumor last night, said that he was not aware of any appeal having been made by President Zelaya of Nicaragua to the Mexican government for aid.

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